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JUNE 1, 1947

MAYOR

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, 56 Dudley Street

Salary \$5,000

COUNCILLORS-AT-LARGE

J. HENRY QUINN	488 Union Street
WILLIAM B. PERRY, Jr.	165 Reed Street
ALBION B. STONE	81 Armour Street
THOMAS H. MARGESON	167 Bullock Street
RAYMOND F. WILLIAMS	40 Fair Street

WARD COUNCILLORS

1—OVILA FORTIN	318 Wood Street
2—THEOPHILE J. DesROCHES	84 Nye Street
3—HAROLD M. PICKETT	167 Merrimac Street
4—GEORGE L. NOWELL	252 Reed Street
5—JOSEPH A. SYLVIA, Jr.	440 Orchard Street
6—JOSEPH D. SAULNIER	122 Fern Street

Salary \$500 each

President of City Council

J. HENRY QUINN

Clerk

CHARLES W. DEASY

COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Audit—Councillor Nowell, (Chairman), Councillors Margeson, Pickett, Williams and Quinn.

City Property—Councillor Fortin, (Chairman), Councillors Perry, Pickett, Saulnier and Quinn.

Finance—Councillor Perry, (Chairman), Councillors Stone, Nowell, Margeson and DesRoches.

Ordinances—Councillor Stone, (Chairman), Councillors Quinn, Pickett, Perry, Saulnier, Sylvia, Margeson, Williams, Nowell, DesRoches and Fortin.

Shellfish—Councillor Saulnier, (Chairman), Councillors Williams, Fortin, Sylvia and Quinn.

Streets—Councillor Pickett, (Chairman), Councillors Nowell, Perry, Fortin and Sylvia.

Street Lights—Councillor Sylvia, (Chairman), Councillors Margeson, Stone, DesRoches and Saulnier.

Veterans Rehabilitation—Councillor DesRoches, (Chairman), Councillors Williams, Saulnier, Stone and Sylvia.

ASSESSORS

Salary \$3,700 each

EUGENE F. PHELAN, Chairman, 80 Washington St.	Term expires Jan. 1948
MARY L. FINNELL, Clerk, 311 Ashley Blvd.	Jan. 1950
FRANCIS O. QUINN, 57 Bourne St.	Jan. 1952

BOARD OF APPEALS

No Salary

GEORGE O. GARDNER, Chairman

GEORGE E. LILLEY, 75 Thomas Street	Term expires Jan. 1948
FRANCIS K. COLLINS, 27 Trinity Street	Jan. 1949
COLEMAN LIPMAN, Clerk, 74 Ryan Street	Jan. 1950
GEORGE O. GARDNER, 181 Maple Street	Jan. 1951
LEO LEMOS, 134 Tallman Street	Jan. 1952

Associate Members of Board of Appeals

CLARENCE J. DAVOLL, 22 Cedar Street	Term expires Jan. 1947
STEPHEN D. PIERCE, 169 Clinton Street	Jan. 1948
ALBERT LORANGER, 238 Phillips Avenue	Jan. 1949

BOARD OF HEALTH

Salary \$500 each

JAMES D. WATSON, Chairman, 722 Rockdale Avenue	Term expires Feb. 1948
DR. MANUEL F. SOUSA, 11 Richfield Street	Feb. 1949
H. ERNEST DIONNE, 220 Wood Street	Feb. 1950

Agent and Inspector of Milk and Provisions—Salary \$5,250.00
ALPHEGE A. LANDREVILLE

Physician to Well Baby Clinics—Salary \$900.00
DR. LOUIS A. PERRAS

Oculist—Salary \$1,700.00
DR. ARTHUR L. BRUNELLE

Bacteriologist—Salary \$1,100.00
DR. HAROLD E. PERRY

Chief of Venereal Disease Clinic—Salary \$1,950.00
DR. WILLIAM W. NELSON

Chief of Tuberculosis Clinic—Salary \$2,000.00
DR. MAURICE KENLER

Public Vaccinators—\$450.00 per year
DR. FRANKLYN D. BERRY
DR. ERNESTO A. BALLA
DR. HARRY F. NOYER

Medical Inspectors Parochial Schools—Salary \$500.00 each
DR. MAX BLUM
DR. JACOB GENNERT

Garbage Disposal
Superintendent AUSTIN M. THRESHER—Salary \$3,200.00

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Salary \$500.00 each except Chairman

WILLIAM A. HIGGINS	Term expires May 1, 1948
LIONEL B. LeDUC	May 1, 1949
LOUIS A. CORDEIRO	May 1, 1950

WILLIAM A. HIGGINS, Chairman
Salary \$3,900.00

Secretary—Salary \$57.89 per week
JOSEPH A. DESJARDINS

Superintendent of Almshouse—Salary \$48.84 per week
ROBERT C. MERCER

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Chaplains of Almshouse—Salary \$312.00 each

REV. CHARLES S. THURBER

REV. HUGH A. GALLAGHER

Physicians to the Board—Salary \$1,000.00 each

DR. JAMES M. HOWLAND—Extreme North District

DR. CLEMENT J. NARCISSE—North District

DR. HAROLD F. GOULSTON—Center District

DR. A. R. AMARANTES—South Central District

DR. JOSEPH H. GLEASON—South District and City Infirmary

CEMETERY BOARD

No Salary

WILLIAM A. BRIGHTMAN, Chairman

WILLIAM A. BRIGHTMAN, 204 James Street	Term expires May 1, 1948
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ROBERT CROMPTON, 1233 Rodney French Blvd.	May 1, 1949
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ROBERT S. WEAVER, 542 Union Street	May 1, 1950
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ROBERT CROMPTON, Secretary

Superintendent of Cemeteries—Salary \$2,700.00

WALTER F. SMITH, 357 Ash Street

TRUSTEES FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

No Salary

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, ex-officio, Mayor of the City

RT. REV. MSGR. JOHN F. McKEON	Term expires April 1948
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MAROLYN B. MANNING	April 1948
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REV. LINDEN H. WHITE	April 1949
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JULIA C. GIFFORD	April 1949
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ROBERTA BARNET	April 1950
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DR. JOSEPH GOULART	April 1950
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Librarian—Salary \$5,200.00

WILLIAM T. O'ROURKE

LICENSING BOARD

Salary \$500.00 each

WILLIAM A. PAYETTE, Chairman

CARL J. COLLOPY, New Bedford Hotel	Term expires June 1948
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WILLIAM A. PAYETTE, 2043 Acushnet Avenue	June 1950
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FRANK M. MARTIN, 269 Brownell Avenue	June 1952
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BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

No Salary

J. ALFRED FREDETTE, Chairman

Term expires

J. ALFRED FREDETTE, 270 Shaw Street

1st Monday in May 1948

STANISLAW SMIETANA, 1577 East Rodney French Bld.

1st Monday in May 1949

ANTONE MELLO, 38 Hollyhock Street

1st Monday in May 1950

JOHN ANTHONY, 276 Davis Street

1st Monday in May 1951

JOHN ANTHONY, Secretary

Superintendent of Parks—Salary \$3,350.00

THOMAS E. HALLIWELL

PLANNING BOARD

No Salary

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor, Chairman, ex-officio

PATRICK J. FOLEY, Secretary Commissioner of Public Works

ALBION B. STONE Member of City Council

OVILA FORTIN Member of City Council

ANTONE MELLO Member of Park Board

H. ERNEST DIONNE Member of Board of Health

FREDERICK R. RIPLEY Superintendent of Buildings

POST-WAR PLANNING COMMISSION

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor, Chairman

PATRICK J. FOLEY Commissioner of Public Works

HOWARD C. MANDELL Superintendent of Water Board

FREDERICK R. RIPLEY Superintendent of Buildings

WALTER E. MONT Superintendent of Street Lights

THOMAS E. HALLIWELL Superintendent of Parks

WALTER F. SMITH Superintendent of Cemeteries

WILLIAM R. MACKINTOSH Director, Vocational High School

THOMAS H. MARGESON City Councillor

GEORGE L. NOWELL City Councillor

JOSEPH A. SYLVIA, Jr. City Councillor

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REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Salary \$500.00 each

LEO F. CORMIER, Chairman

	Term expires
LEO F. CORMIER (Dem.)	March 31, 1948
JAMES W. OWENS, Jr. (Rep.)	March 31, 1949
ANTHONY L. ARMANETTI (Dem.)	March 31, 1950

CHARLES W. DEASY, (Rep.), Clerk, Salary \$500.00

WILLIAM J. CARTER, Assistant Registrar, Salary \$200.00

EMMA E. MEDEIROS, Assistant Registrar, Salary \$200.00

RETIREMENT BOARD

EDWARD F. NERBONNE, City Auditor, Chairman, ex-officio

	Term expires
PAUL R. CURRY	June 30, 1947
HERBERT A. JOHNSON	June 30, 1949

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor, Chairman ex-officio

WILLIAM E. GIFFORD, Vice-Chairman

	Term expires
DR. JOHN T. BARROWS, Jr., 95 Thompson Street	Jan. 1948
THOMAS C. MORIARTY, 304 Summer Street	Jan. 1948
WILLIAM E. GIFFORD, 79 Florence Street	Jan. 1948
DONAT F. FORTIN, 19 Clifford Street	Jan. 1950
W. EDWARD METCALF, 405 Coggeshall Street	Jan. 1950
AUGUST C. TAVEIRA, 216 James Street	Jan. 1950

Superintendent of Schools—Salary \$6,976.00

W. KENNETH BURKE

Assistant Superintendent of Schools—Salary \$4,700.00

ROBERT H. MURDY

ELLE NC. SWEENEY

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

No Salary

	Term expires
CHARLES S. KELLEY, Jr.	April 1948
ALBERT P. CUNNINGHAM	April 1949
RAYMOND McLEOD	April 1950

Secretary and Treasurer ex-officio—Salary \$300.00

WILLIAM R. FREITAS

TRUSTEES OF GIFTS, BEQUESTS AND TRUST FUNDS

No Salary

	Term expires
ALAN J. CAMPBELL	April 1948
MARY L. SOARES	April 1949
HARRY C. TRIPP	April 1950

VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

No Salary

HON. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

JOSEPH DAWSON, Jr., Chairman

	Term expires
JOHN LEMOS	April 1948
WILLIAM YORK	April 1948
CHARLES W. FITZGERALD	April 1949
ELIZABETH H. BEST	April 1949
STELLA E. ZIELINSKI	April 1950
FRANK SPARLING	April 1950
GUSTAVE LAMARCHE	April 1951
JOSEPH DAWSON, Jr.	April 1951

Director Vocational High School—Salary \$4,200.00

WILLIAM R. MACKINTOSH

WATER BOARD

No Salary

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor, President, ex-officio

HAROLD E. LAWTON, 110 Frederick Street	June 1948
ALBERT SIMMONS, 218 Falmer Street	June 1949
MICHAEL ZAJAC, 34 Rodney French Blvd.	June 1950
WALTER F. SLOCUM, 191 Elm Street	June 1951

Superintendent of Water Works—Salary \$5,200.00

HOWARD C. MANDELL

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WHARF COMMISSION

FRANK S. SILVIA, Jr., Chairman

EUGENE JAWOREK	Term expires
JOSEPH GIUSTI	April 1948
FRANK S. SILVIA, Jr.	April 1949
HERVEY LaBONTE	April 1950
HALLET L. RICE	April 1951
	April 1952

NEW BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMISSION

EDWARD V. LAHEY, Chairman

RAMON F. LAWRENCE, 384 Clinton Street	Term expires
EDWARD V. LAHEY, 695 County Street	January 1947
ARTHUR A. JOHNSON, 584 Rockdale Avenue	January 1949
JAMES A. COLLINS, 178 Hawthorn Street	January 1950
	January 1951

FIRE DEPARTMENT

MAYOR ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN—Executive Head

EDWARD F. DAHILL	Chief
Salary \$4,050.00	
MILTON C. ANDREWS	Deputy Chief
Salary \$3,700.00	
ALBERT P. BOCHMAN	First District Chief
Salary \$3,100.00	
HERBERT H. STONE	Second District Chief
Salary \$3,100.00	
HENRY J. FISHER	Third District Chief
Salary \$3,100.00	
FRANCIS T. MACEDO	Head Clerk of Dept.
Salary \$40.00 week	

POLICE DEPARTMENT

JOHN W. DAVIES	Chief
Salary \$4,050.00	
RAPHAEL PIERACCINI	Deputy Chief
Salary \$3,700.00	

(For Complete list see report of Police Department)

CITY OFFICIALS

City Clerk—Charles W. Deasy, Salary \$4,300.00

Assistant City Clerk—Pauline Clarke Roberts, Salary \$3,000.00

Secretary to the Mayor—Raymond D. Markey, Salary \$4,000.00

City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes—William R. Freitas, Salary \$4,200.00

City Auditor—Edward F. Nerbonne, Salary \$4,700.00

Clerk of Committees—Albert J. Moquin, Salary \$2,800.00

City Solicitor—Thomas M. Quinn, Salary \$5,200.00

Assistant City Solicitor—George B. Goodman, Salary \$3,500.00

Commissioner of Public Works—Patrick J. Foley, Salary \$5,200.00

Superintendent of Buildings and Inspector of Buildings—Frederick R. Ripley, Salary \$4,200.00

Inspector of Wires—Walter E. Mont, Salary \$2,200.00

Superintendent of Street Lights—Walter E. Mont, Salary \$1,000.00

Superintendent of Police Signal System—Walter E. Wont, Salary \$500.00

Director of Veterans Services—Andre C. LeBlanc, Salary \$2,800.00

City Physician—Aubrey J. Pothier, M. D., Salary \$2,100.00

Scaler of Weights and Measures—Roland Auger, Salary \$2,715.60

Harbor Master—Bertram C. West, Salary \$33.84 per week

Caretaker of Graves of Soldiers and Sailors—Walter F. Smith, No Salary, Superintendent of Cemeteries

Inspector of Animals—Edward J. Welch, Salary \$600.00

Registrar of Labor—William J. Carter, Salary \$500.00 (Under Massachusetts Civil Service Commission).

MID-TERM ADDRESS

OF

Hon. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN

MAYOR OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS

TO

CITY COUNCIL

January 9, 1947



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MID-TERM ADDRESS
OF
MAYOR ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN
TO
CITY COUNCIL

January 9, 1947

To the Members of the City Council

Gentlemen:

In the preparation of a budget there are many factors that must be taken into consideration to the end that it may be well balanced and provide for the expenditure of the people's money in a wise and prudent manner.

In the making of a budget there are three factors that must be taken into consideration, — wages that are paid to the employees of the City, services that must be rendered and the best interest of the citizens, including city employees, who must pay the taxes for the operation of the City's enterprises.

During this year as in the preceding three years I have not submitted a supplementary budget but there has, of course, been money transferred from city balances, and this together with transfers from one department to another has allowed us to live within the figures of the original budget, and there have been balances from each annual appropriation, the balance this year being approximately \$102,000.

There have been, of course, increases in the budget for Public Welfare and in the payments that will be necessary to be made to the Sassaquin Sanatorium.

It is necessary to appropriate to the Contributory Retirement funds \$223,000 which is an increase of \$67,000 over the amount that was required last year.

The budget includes a necessary appropriation of \$147,000 for Pensions.

The present budget includes an appropriation of \$10,000 for the proper observation of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the City of New Bedford which occurs this year.

For the year 1947 there has been set aside a Reserve Fund of \$25,000.

There is also provided a fund for the purchase of supplies and other necessary equipment at the Isolation Hospital.

In preparation of the budget I have deemed it wise not to ask at the present time for any appropriation from the post war fund, feeling that it should be left intact, for it may be advantageous to use a part of it for such a project as the Cove Road bulkhead; however, any action on this project would probably have to await any action that the present Legislature might take.

As an evidence of the passing of war-time conditions there is no appropriation necessary for the Rationing Board, they having gone out of existence.

Allowance has been made in the Police budget for replacements and additions to the Police Department.

The appropriation for the use of the Building Maintenance Department has been increased in this budget.

There has been a reduction in the payment of the Public Debt and Interest of \$154,000.

There is appropriated \$45,697.94 for the operation of the Airport. This figure is based upon the request of the Airport Commission and it is hoped this amount will be sufficient. Although the operation of an air field is a new experience there will be income derived from its operation.

Although the title to the Airport has not yet been returned to the City by the Federal Government, arrangements have been made for its operation on a temporary permit.

Tomorrow the initial flight will be inaugurated by the Northeast Airlines, Inc. who have been certificated by the Civil Aeronautics Board to operate in and out of the New Bedford Airport.

Again as last year, there has been submitted a schedule which provides for the purchase of new equipment. Experience during the year has shown there is to be an advantage found in taking the equipment requests out of each department and allocating them under one account as this facilitates the purchase of more than one unit at the same time, which, of course, is an advantage to the City.

During the last year the City has purchased among other things a fire pumper and two aerial trucks. Owing to industrial conditions none of these three machines have as yet been delivered. I am informed, however, that the pumper may be expected during the month of February and the aerial trucks sometime in May.

The City has also purchased a Tandem Roller for \$2,900 which replaced the hired one which was engaged at the rate of \$20 per day.

There has also been purchased a catch basin cleaner which was sorely needed.

A new boiler has been purchased for the School Department and folding benches for the High School gymnasium as well as four Collectos.

There have been purchased during the year, 32 automobiles and trucks, and they have been allocated to the various departments. The last purchase of 10 trucks will do away with truck hire which ought to show a net saving of \$15,000 per year. These automobiles and trucks were purchased through bids in all cases and the contract went to the lowest bidder. There is an advantage, I think, in having our cars and trucks, if possible, within the price range, all of the same make not only because the parts may be interchanged but also so that those who work on them will become familiar with them.

The budget of 1947 provides for the expenditure of approximately \$75,000 for the purchase of new equipment. Included in this is a new fire pumper and a tractor for the Water Department; several automobiles including motor cycles for the Police Department.

The appropriation for the purchase of new equipment also includes typewriters, adding machines and other office equipment.

In considering the wages for the school teachers, the Mayor had a conference with the representatives of the teachers themselves and also has sat in consultation with the members of the School Board.

The budget which is now presented to you provides first a permanent \$200 increase for all elementary teachers, and it also provides a \$200 Cost of Living Adjustment for all employees of the School Department including elementary teachers.

The Council will note that in the budget of last year while all the employees of the City received the \$200 temporary Cost of Living adjustment, the School Board made the \$200 increase in wages permanent for all employees of the School Department.

This budget also provides that the temporary Cost of Living adjustment of last year of \$200 for all city employees, aside from those of the School Department, is now made a permanent wage increase. It also provides a \$200 Cost of Living adjustment for all employees of the City of New Bedford for the year 1947, and the permanent increase for all elementary teachers of \$200 per annum.

The Council will note that there has been no provision made for the changes which will be necessary by reason of the adoption of the 48 hour law for the Fire Department. This has been a matter of consultation between the Mayor and the head of the Fire Department and presents a problem peculiar to itself.

Another complication is due to the fact that at the present time there is no established Civil Service list for firemen, and while an examination has been taken an eligible list has not yet been established from which appointments must be made.

Under these conditions it has seemed most wise to omit from the budget at this time the added cost and submit it in a separate budget as soon as possible.

The total budget for this year is \$7,819,195.01, and a large part of this increase over the budget of 1946 is due to the increase in wages to the City employees.

The welfare and continued prosperity of the City is our first and only concern, and we can best serve our City by facing the future with honest service, with patience and with faith and courage and strength to do the things that we know to be right.

Looking back over the past four years it is easy to discern that there were many problems, but I am constrained to believe that we all have the satisfaction of knowing that they were met and dealt with for the best interest of the City of New Bedford.

May I express to the Council and to the employees of the City of New Bedford my appreciation for their cooperation during the year 1946, and to you and to all of the citizens, may we enter a happy and prosperous 1947.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Building Department

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

FOR THE YEAR 1946



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BUILDING DEPARTMENT

ANNUAL REPORT

1946

In accordance with Chapter 7 Section 158 of the City Code of the City of New Bedford, I hereby submit a report of the activities of the Superintendent of Buildings for the calendar year of 1946.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

During the past year the volume of construction, alteration and repair of buildings within the City limits was somewhat higher than in 1945.

The Department issued 1326 permits for work estimated by the various applicants to cost \$2,241,579.00.

The outstanding permits for 1946 were:

Massachusetts Steamship Co.	\$ 10,000.00
F. S. Eldridge & Son, Inc.	10,000.00
Hathaway Mfg. Co.	12,000.00
N. B. Five Cents Savings Bank	175,000.00
Dawson's Brewery, Inc.	70,000.00
J. S. Dunn Marine Service & Supply	10,000.00
Rezendes Furniture Co.	50,000.00
Hathaway Mfg. Co.	10,000.00
N. L. & Ida Scarpitti	20,000.00
Dawson's Brewery, Inc.	10,000.00
Dartmouth Finishing Co.	20,000.00
Wareta Realty Corp.	40,000.00
Hathaway Mfg. Co.	19,000.00
Dawson's Brewery, Inc.	40,000.00
N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co.	300,000.00
Acushnet Process Co.	12,000.00
Harold Bishen	10,000.00
J. I. Paulding, Inc.	20,000.00
J. J. Gobell Co.	12,000.00
Hathaway Mfg. Co.	10,000.00
Smith Bros., Inc.	15,000.00
Philip Kaller	15,000.00

SUMMARY OF BUILDING PERMITS

1946

	Permits	Estimated Cost
New Construction	319	\$ 830,973.00
Alterations	789	1,316,586.00
Heating	158	94,020.00
Demolitions	60	
Total	1326	\$2,241,579.00

NEW CONSTRUCTION:

Dwellings	117	\$571,350.00
Stores	2	2,000.00
Garages	65	100,965.00
Filling Stations	9	31,660.00
Business, Mfg. and Schools	36	109,575.00
Miscellaneous	90	15,423.00
Total	319	\$830,973.00

ALTERATIONS:

Dwellings	473	\$ 232,276.00
Business	227	1,026,065.00
Miscellaneous	89	58,245.00
Total	789	\$1,316,586.00

Comparative Summary of Construction for the last Five Years:

Year	No. of Permits	Estimated Cost
1942	635	\$ 353,955.00
1943	819	375,846.00
* 1944	1592	786,055.00
1945	1090	807,917.00
1946	1326	2,241,579.00

* The 1944 permits included permits issued in connection with Hurricane Damage.

During 1946, the Department made 130 special investigations. These were the results of complaints that were filed, or for the purpose of assisting some property owners who desired information relative to making changes in existing property.

In 1946, the Building Department approved the construction sketches, site of location, and the method of erection and maintenance of two hundred and thirty seven signs.

One hundred and ten elevators were inspected and tested in the year 1946, by this Department.

Thirty hotels and lodging houses were inspected during the year, a total of 825 rooms. A report of each inspection was forwarded to the Commissioner of Public Safety of Boston, Mass.

Elevator operators' licenses granted during the year were ninety-nine. Of this amount, seventy-five were renewals, and twenty-four were originals. An operator's license is granted after the applicant successfully passes an operating examination given by an inspector of this department.

In 1946 there were 109 appeals from the rulings of the Inspector of Buildings relative to the application of the zoning ordinances. There was an increase of 58 cases over the previous year of 1945.

This increase is due to the fact that the State Legislature, for its purpose of providing additional homes for Veterans, passed the Attic Tenement Law which was sponsored by Mayor Harriman.

This law permits the Board of Appeals, after holding a public hearing, to grant a variance from the zoning ordinance, without the appellant being compelled to show practical difficulty or unnecessary hardships.

The Appeal Board has been very lenient, and has made every effort to legally grant these requests for changes.

Granted *	84
Denied *	23
Withdrawn	2
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There were four cases relative to the Building Code:

Supt. Ruling sustained	2
Supt. Ruling reversed	2
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* Appeals that are granted are reversals of the rulings of the Inspector of Buildings, while appeals denied upheld the Inspector's ruling.

Because of the changes to Chapter 143 of the General Laws, which became effective November 1, 1945, the Building Inspector in every City and Town is charged with the duty of enforcing Chapter 143 of the General Laws as they pertain to Places of Assembly, Factories, Hotels, Rooming Houses, or any buildings where ten or more people are employed, or there are more than eight rooms above the second floor. By these changes the State Building Inspectors have been relieved of certain responsibilities, which have now been imposed upon the local Building Inspectors of the Cities and Towns.

Every building or part thereof, used as a place of public assembly and capable of accommodating 50 or more people, or where 10 or more people are employed, must be carefully examined and a certificate issued by this department, before a license for the use of the same can be obtained.

There are many different uses, such as, Night Clubs, Dance Halls, Pool Rooms, Bowling Alleys, Restaurants, Funeral Homes, Mills, Factories, and all Mercantile Establishments, that come under the classification of a Place of Assembly.

As the result of this law, much additional work has been added to this department. It requires us to make and keep on file a floor plan, carefully drawn to scale and showing the size and location of all means of egress. From this we must determine the number of people that are to be allowed to occupy this building or area and the certificate is issued accordingly.

During the past year, this department has examined, measured, made plans and issued certificates for the following different uses.

Cafes	57
Clubs	35
Taverns	8
Halls	12
Restaurants	5
Pool Rooms	2
Public Buildings	1

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Appropriations:

Salaries and Wages	\$18,599.83
General Expenses	1,150.00
Travel Out of State	150.00
Total	<u>\$19,899.83</u>

Expenditures:

Salaries and Wages	\$18,370.85
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General Expenses:

Equipment Maintenance	11.10
Office Stationery and Supplies	84.67
Postage, Telephone and Express	61.90
Printing	254.55
Motor Maintenance	640.31
Travel	67.50
	<u>\$ 1,120.03</u>
Travel Out of State	148.50
	<u>\$19,639.38</u>
Balance	\$ 260.45

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

The building maintenance repair men are called upon for many kinds of service. While there was no increase in the number of persons employed in this crew, there has been an increase in the number of buildings which we have been asked to take care of. It is surprising the different things that come up from day to day that these men are called upon to do. The miscellaneous jobs have been so numerous that only the larger ones will be mentioned at this time. Some of which are as follows:

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

- Repairs to Boilers
- Repairs to exterior brickwork on Boilers
- Miscellaneous electrical and plumbing
- Repainting Clerk of Committees Office
- Repainting Council Chambers
- Repairs to Elevator

CENTER LIBRARY

- Repairs to Elevator
- Miscellaneous plumbing and electrical work

CENTRAL POLICE STATION

- Exterior Painting
- Repairs to windows and doors

CITY INFIRMARY

- Installation of new Terrazzo floor in Men's Dining Room and Corridors
- Exterior painting Men's Dormitory and Hospital
- Miscellaneous plumbing and electrical work

AIRPORT

- Repairs to Main Hangar doors
- Remodeling of Administration Building
- Replacing broken glass in Hangar
- Miscellaneous plumbing and electrical work

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Appropriations:

Salaries and Wages	\$28,534.70
Labor	3,532.00
Equipment Hire	300.00
General Expenses	27,476.00
Total	<u>\$59,842.70</u>

Expenditures:

Salaries and Wages	\$28,299.32
Labor	3,532.00
Equipment Hire	249.00

General Expenses:

Fuel	\$15,195.14
Water	919.07
Power and Light	1,047.18
Telephone	4,269.10
Stationery and Supplies	30.42
Boiler Room Supplies	40.57
Boiler Room Repairs	1,486.06
Boiler Room Insurance	199.88
Boiler Room Inspection	10.00
Engine Room Supplies	289.38
Engine Room Repairs	402.28
Advertising	10.08
Bldg. Repairs, Mat'ls etc.	3,187.25
Equipment Maintenance	47.00
Express and Freight	2.14
Medical Expenses	4.00
Motor Maintenance	271.42

Total	\$27,410.97
Credit Refunds	378.30

Total General Expenses	\$27,032.67
Total Expenses	<u>\$59,112.99</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 729.71</u>

CUSTODIAN SERVICE

During the past year, great difficulty was encountered in obtaining sufficient help, due to retirement and illness to several of the employees. Despite this fact Frank Francis, the supervisor of Custodians, was able to provide sufficient service.

The following persons retired during 1946.

Robert A. Cartmell, 26 Hollyhock Street. Mr. Cartmell entered the service of the City in June 1926 and retired March 4, 1946.

John Oscar Williams, 381 North Street. Mr. Williams entered the service of the City April 1, 1916 and retired May 31, 1946.

Both Mr. Williams and Mr. Cartmell were faithful and trustworthy employees.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT**Appropriations:**

Salaries and Wages	\$48,850.98	
General Expenses	2,445.00	
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Expenditures:

Salaries and Wages	\$47,928.56	
General Expenses	2,436.01	
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Balance	\$	931.41
Commissions received and turned in to Treasurer from Comfort Station paylocks.	\$	2,151.00

In conclusion, I would like to acknowledge the assistance this department has received from associated individuals and departments in the performance of our duties and express our gratitude for this co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

Supt. and Insp. of Buildings.

Frederick R. Poynter

ANNUAL REPORT

Building Department, for the year 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL,

March 27, 1947.

Received and placed on file and ordered printed in the
City Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk.

Attest:

(s) CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk.

FIFTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Board of Cemetery Commissioners

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1946



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CEMETERY BOARD

ROBERT S. WEAVER, Chairman

ROBERT CROMPTON

WILLIAM A. BRIGHTMAN, Secretary

Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Board

BERENICE E. IRVING

Clerks

GRACE E. MANCHESTER

EVELYN HENDRICKS

Superintendent

WALTER F. SMITH

CEMETERIES

RURAL CEMETERY

OAK GROVE CEMETERY

PINE GROVE CEMETERY

GRIFFIN STREET CEMETERY (closed)

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
OFFICE OF THE CEMETERY BOARD

New Bedford, Mass.,
January 1, 1947.

To the Mayor and City Council,
City of New Bedford, Mass.

Gentlemen: —

The Cemetery Board respectfully submits its fifty-second report for the year ending December 31, 1946.

WILLIAM A. BRIGHTMAN,
Secretary

CEMETERY BOARD

FINANCIAL STATEMENT **FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946**

SALARIES AND WAGES

Appropriation	\$ 9,665.62
Transferred for Salary Adjustment	1,274.88
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Expenditures	\$10,940.50
	10,940.47
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Balance	\$0.03

LABOR

Appropriation	\$44,800.00
Transferred for Labor Adjustment	4,667.43
Transferred from interest account, Perpetual Care, Savings Bank	12,297.65
Transferred from interest account, Perpetual Care, 6%	1,397.81
Transferred from Soldiers' and Sailors' account	1,898.36
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Expenditures	\$65,061.25
	63,932.40
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Balance	\$1,128.85

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$4,755.00
Expenditures	4,724.36
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	\$30.64
Credits	19.59
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	\$50.23
1946 Encumbrances	40.00
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Balance	\$10.23

NEW EQUIPMENT

Appropriation	\$4,655.00
Expenditures	3,860.46
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	\$794.54
1946 Encumbrances	343.74
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Balance	\$450.80

The following amounts, which constitute the income of this department during the year, are paid into the City Treasury and a portion is made available for cemetery use.

Labor to January 1, 1947	\$16,231.93
Labor on Perpetual Care Lots, Savings Banks, 1946	12,316.36
Labor on Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves, 1946	1,898.36
Interest account, Perpetual Care, 1946	1,637.82
Sale of Lots and Graves, 1946	8,935.00
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Total	\$41,019.47
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CEMETERY BOARD

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CLASSIFIED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

RURAL CEMETERY

General labor account	\$12,603.04
Distribution account	6,557.12
Interments	2,499.95
Office building, attendant's salary	1,147.66
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	\$22,807.77

GRIFFIN STREET CEMETERY

General labor account	\$163.09
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OAK GROVE CEMETERY

General labor account	\$ 9,802.30
Distribution account	4,714.55
Interments	2,570.39
Maintenance of avenues	911.25
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	\$17,998.49

PINE GROVE CEMETERY

General labor account	\$ 6,361.92
Distribution account	4,136.77
Interments	1,985.04
Office building, attendant's salary	1,147.66
New drain from office building, labor	66.60
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	\$13,697.99

GREENHOUSE AND FLOWER BEDS

General labor account	\$4,350.70
Maintenance, stock and supplies	213.56
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	\$4,564.26

SALARIES

Office, (Superintendent, Chief Clerk, Senior Clerk and Junior Clerk	\$7,370.27
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CEMETERY BOARD

SUNDRIES

Postage	\$ 60.12
General Supplies	212.88
Building maintenance	22.28
Cement, sand, etc.	343.71
Water	113.60
Fuel	1,055.64
Express	1.81
Office Expenses	376.37
Perpetual Care account, Peckham West Cemetery	213.98
Perpetual Care account, St. Mary's Cemetery	226.71
Perpetual Care account, Sacred Heart Cemetery.....	4.00
Property Maintenance	162.09
All Other	139.28
Equipment maintenance	3,722.61
N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co.	59.35
Telephones	172.23
Motor Maintenance	2,417.03
Tools, care	1,953.56
Compensation, labor	40.00
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	\$11,297.25

PERPETUAL CARE

Number of lots placed in perpetual care, 1946.....	47
Total number of lots in perpetual care	3,642
Amount deposited for perpetual care, 1946.....	\$15,025.00
Total amount deposited for perpetual care	\$590,845.07

Respectfully submitted,

BERENICE E. IRVING,

Clerk of the Cemetery Board

BOARD OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Walter F. Smith who had been serving as a temporary superintendent since September 22, 1945 was appointed Superintendent of Cemeteries on March 27, 1946.

A check was made on the cost of bricking graves, fitting graves and putting in foundations. We found we were doing this work at a loss and as our charges were much lower than those of surrounding cemeteries our prices were raised.

A plot of land, triangular in shape outside of the Pine Grove Cemetery was turned over to the City Council. This land was made of no further use to us when Pine Grove Street was put through.

When the W.P.A. put in the retaining wall along Pine Grove Street the doors of the tomb were blocked, which made the tomb useless and in 1946 it was condemned and ordered torn down.

We found that the fence advertising lumber on the east side of the Griffin Street Cemetery was on cemetery property. The "Croacher" Estate interests were interviewed regarding the commercializing of the fence and painted the sign out. This greatly improved the general appearance of the cemetery but we hope money will be provided in 1947 to erect a new wire fence along the east line of this cemetery.

On April 6, 1946 flag raising ceremonies were held at World War Plot No. 2 in Rural Cemetery and was attended by Mayor Harriman, members of the Cemetery Board, the Superintendent of Cemeteries, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jennings and relatives and friends of the veterans buried there. The flag used was the one that accompanied the body of Hugh Jennings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jennings, who was the first veteran buried in this plot. A second flag was offered and accepted by the Board to fly over this plot when the Jennings flag becomes unserviceable. It is the flag of Robert Gibbs who is buried in this plot and given by his widow Mrs. Ruth Gibbs Tofuri.

Due to the increasing demand each year for geraniums, the present greenhouse has become inadequate to take care

of all the bedding plants and geraniums needed. The last three or four years the office has had to refuse orders for geraniums from lot owners because we cannot grow enough with the present greenhouses to supply geraniums for both the public and the Memorial Day Committee.

During the past year we purchased two snow plows, a compressor, ten power mowers, a new truck, typewriter and an electric generating plant. This was all much needed equipment.

There has been much controversy about water flowing from the cemetery into Matthew Street and flooding cellars. This location has been watched in bad storms since the complaint and no water has been found standing in the cemetery and no water coming out of the cemetery.

Unless there is a funeral, the offices in the cemeteries are closed on all holidays except Memorial Day.

In 1946 fifty-eight lots and fifty-seven graves were sold and forty-nine transfers of lots made.

Vandalism is still something to be very much concerned about. It is still going on in our cemeteries and costs the department a great deal of money each year to repair the damage done.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT S. WEAVER, Chairman

ROBERT CROMPTON

WILLIAM A. BRIGHTMAN, Secretary

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Board of Cemetery Commissioners:—

Gentlemen:—

I herewith present to you my annual report of work accomplished in the city's several cemeteries under my supervision during the past year, together with such recommendations as I think practicable for the coming year.

As I stated in my last year's report, something should be done with the pond at Rural Cemetery. Not only is it unsightly but it is my belief that it would be a help towards eliminating some of the vandalism in that cemetery as the pond is one of the main attractions for children. In the summer time they are looking for pond lilies and in the winter it is the ice. We called upon the police to clear the pond of children on several occasions during the winter because the children would not leave the cemetery for our employees.

Within the next two years the available graves left on the single grave section No. 21 in Pine Grove Cemetery will be used. We must dig over the remaining space and I recommend the use of a steam shovel for this work as it will be much cheaper than hand labor.

Since the new boiler has been installed in the greenhouse it has been necessary to put another man in there winters. Some arrangement should be made whereby the greenhouse and office building at the Oak Grove Cemetery can be heated with oil as all other buildings are now.

A set of new doors was made from salvaged lumber and installed at the toolhouse at Oak Grove Cemetery.

Signs regarding law, rules and regulations were removed, repainted and replaced in all three cemeteries during 1946.

The avenues in all three cemeteries are in very poor condition and must be re-surfaced next year or it will mean they will have to be completely re-built which will necessitate the expenditure of much money.

A flag pole was erected on World War Plot No. 2 on April 3, 1946.

Two large trees were removed, wood trimmed out of several other trees and the entire ground cleared up in Griffin Street Cemetery. The cemetery now looks better than it has in the past several years and a man will be stationed in this cemetery during the coming season.

With the use of our new snow plows we are now able to have enough avenues plowed in a short time after the men report for work to take care of all funerals.

Although we purchased 8-20" cut power mowers last year, we are still very much in need of a larger cutting mower to take care of the open spaces that have been neglected in the past. I recommend asking for the purchase of this machine from the fund accumulated from the Sales of Lots monies.

A new Ford truck was delivered in 1946 to replace the old truck at Oak Grove Cemetery and in 1948 we should replace the truck now being used at Rural Cemetery which is fast becoming worn out.

Although there has been very little frost since the new compressor was purchased we have found a great saving can be made by its use the year round and I recommend the purchase of one more outfit for another year.

In 1946 the office at Rural Cemetery was painted and the outside of the greenhouse at Oak Grove Cemetery was painted, removing all the glass and resetting the same in new putty. This year we should paint the Oak Grove office building and the house on Parker Street, which is owned by the department.

Many times the office wishes to locate a grave for an interment or reach the office at Oak Grove Cemetery for some other important reason. It is often impossible to do this due to the fact that the foreman is out on the grounds where he should be. Then again at other times the foreman is in the office awaiting a call when he should be out on the grounds with the men. Much time is wasted, not only for the foreman but for the public awaiting information and wastes much time trying to put through calls to reach the Oak Grove Cemetery office. Therefore, I wish to strongly recommend an attendant be hired for the Oak Grove office building. Several years back we spent a lot of money fitting up this office and an attendant is needed much more now than in previous years to keep the rugs cleaned, lavatories clean and all dusted and neat so that whenever an undertaker wants to hold services in the building it will look presentable. She also answers telephone calls and calls the foreman when needed.

The following is a summary of general work done in 1946:—

SUMMARY OF WORK DONE IN 1946

	Rural	Oak Grove	Pine Grove
Lineal ft. borders trimmed	200	1,500	
Foundations for tablets and markers.....	113	59	41
Foundations for monuments	23	10	13
Corner posts in lots	8	3	
Flower and shrub beds	21	50	
Trees removed	17	2	8
Trees trimmed and pruned	116	40	12
Shrubs trimmed and pruned	194	150	313
Shrubs removed	24	6	2
Neglected graves fitted	34	10	2
Graves fitted	226	149	112
Graves fitted in Public Ground	5	5	2
Headstones fitted	10	4	16
Neglected headstones fitted	38	3	
Bodies dis-interred	4		1
Interments made in lots	181	101	40
Interments made in graves	3		112
Interments made in Public Ground			33
Interments made in World War Plot No. 1			11
Interments made in Spanish American War Plot			4
Interments made in World War Plot No. 2	3		
Interments made in World War No. 2 Dependent's Plot	2		
Total interments, 1946	189	101	139
Lots sold	46	2	10
Graves sold	3		54
Prepared lots unsold	300	145	394
Value of lots unsold	\$59,786	\$29,514	\$76,020
Graves unsold	31		148
Value of graves unsold	\$1,550		\$5,180
Number of stones cleaned		5	
Brick graves built	4	2	
Lot and grave numbers set	196	5	75
Soldiers' markers set up	2	2	14
Lots in annual care	452	264	117
Lots graded and seeded		2	

Respectfully submitted,

• WALTER F. SMITH,
Superintendent of Cemeteries

**REPORT OF CARETAKER
OF
SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' GRAVES**

New Bedford, Mass.,
January 1, 1947.

To the Honorable City Council of the
City of New Bedford.

Gentlemen:—

I hereby submit the following report of the work done on neglected lots and graves where soldiers and sailors are interred, as authorized in Chapter 218, Acts of Legislature, 1920:—

	Care of Lots and Graves	
Rural Cemetery	153	
Oak Grove Cemetery	147	
Pine Grove Cemetery	21	\$189.58 was expended
Peckham West Cemetery	10	for fitting graves and
Sacred Heart Cemetery	42	stones.
Jewish Cemetery	25	
Congregational Church Cemetery.....	2	
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The amount appropriated for this work was \$1,950.00 and of this amount \$1,758.78 was expended for cutting grass and \$189.58 for fitting graves and stones, making a total of \$1,948.36 and leaving a balance of \$1.64.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER F. SMITH,

Caretaker of Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves

ANNUAL REPORT
BOARD OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS
For the Year Ending December 31, 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL

March 13, 1947

Received and placed on file and ordered printed
in the City Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk.

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

CITY AUDITOR

OF THE

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

MASSACHUSETTS



FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 1946

THE A. E. COFFIN PRESS—PRINTERS
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

1947

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

OFFICE OF THE CITY AUDITOR

*To His Honor Arthur N. Harriman, Mayor of New Bedford
and the Honorable the City Council.*

Submitted herewith are the following statements and schedules showing the receipts and expenditures for the City of New Bedford for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1946 and the financial conditions.

- Exhibit A—Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit B—Statement of Receipts for the Year Ended December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit C—Statement of Expenditures for the Year Ended December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit D—Summary of Receipts and Expenditures for the Year Ended December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit E—Detailed Analysis of Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures for the fiscal Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit F—Schedule of Bonded Debt and Sinking Funds as of December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit G—Schedule of Real Estate and Personal Property as of December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit H—Schedule of Indebtedness Payable at the close of the fiscal years 1926 through 1946.
- Exhibit I—Summary of Bonded Debt and Sinking Funds as of December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit J—Schedule showing year of maturity for Bonded Debt and Sinking Funds as of December 31, 1946.
- Exhibit K—Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1945 and December 31, 1946.

My audit of Cash in Banks as of December 31, 1946 disclosed balances totaling \$1,221,050.76 an increase of \$260,767.56 in comparison with the beginning of the year.

Taxes Receivable at the close of the year were \$260,407.79 against \$248,220.69 on December 31, 1945, reflecting an increase of \$12,187.10.

Tax Titles totaling \$49,169.49 show a decrease of \$45,902.29 in the balance shown on December 31, 1945.

On December 31, 1946 Bonded Debt Outstanding totaled \$2,481,000.00 against \$3,081,000.00 at the close of the previous year. This is a net reduction of \$600,000.00. Bonds outstanding and payable by the City of New Bedford are listed in detail on Exhibit F.

During the year the City of New Bedford borrowed \$1,800,000.00 in Notes Payable for Temporary Revenue Loan, this obligation was paid during the fiscal year ended December 31, 1946.

Exhibit H shows the Bonded Debt for the City of New Bedford for each year commencing in 1926 through 1946. At the close of the year 1926 bonded debt totaled \$14,075,000.00, the highest point reached during the past twenty years and at the close of the year 1946 this indebtedness has been reduced to \$2,481,000.00.

Exhibit J sets forth the net amount payable yearly from revenue to provide for payments against bonded debt outstanding at the close of the year 1946. These requirements total \$459,000.00 for the fiscal year 1947 and show substantial decreases each year with final payment liquidating all bonded debt during the year 1957.

All receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1946 are shown in detail on Exhibits B and C. Total receipts including money borrowed totaled \$11,077,009.08 while expenditures were \$10,975,051.11.

The City of New Bedford closed the fiscal year 1946 with a surplus of \$566,660.37 in the Excess and Deficiency Account after transferring \$384,850.00 for departmental appropriations.

Exhibit K shows a comparison of assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the fiscal year ended December 31, 1946 setting forth the increase or decrease in each amount.

I certify that in the course of my audit of the books and records of the City of New Bedford I verified cash on deposit and securities representing the investments of sinking funds of the City of New Bedford and several trust funds in the custody of the Commissioners, trustees, and city treasurer and find that the same is in agreement with reports and records rendered by said commissioners, trustees and city treasurer to the City Council.

Respectfully submitted

EDWARD F. NERBONNE

City Auditor

EXHIBIT A

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

BALANCE SHEET

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946

ASSETS**Current Assets:**

Cash in Banks	\$1,221,050.76	
Taxes Receivable	260,407.79	
Current Year	\$253,291.32	
Prior Years	7,116.47	
Accounts Receivable	53,389.24	
Tax Titles	49,169.49	
Tax Possessions	95,623.85	
Total Current		\$1,679,641.13

Overdrawn Accounts:

Overlay Levies	\$957.80	
R. J. Carrier	411.59	
State Parks and Reservations	2,560.59	
County Tax, 1946	6,200.39	
Total Overdrawn		10,130.37

Fixed Assets:

City Property	34,943,425.79
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Sinking and Trust Funds:

Sinking Funds—Cash and Investments	\$974,599.04	
Trust Funds—Cash and Investments...	1,618,303.02	
Municipal Contributory Retirement		
Funds—Cash and Investments	658,767.49	
Total Sinking and Trust Funds....		3,251,669.55

TOTAL ASSETS \$39,884,866.84

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

EXHIBIT A

BALANCE SHEET

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS**Current Liabilities:**

Accounts Payable	\$337,625.63	
Accounts Payable (Federal Agencies) ..	14,210.10	
Due Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund....	26,734.93	
Trust Fund Income	5,277.02	
Current Tax Payment (Federal)	27,461.07	
Total Current		\$411,308.75

Reserve Accounts:

Sale of City Property	\$211,584.70	
Cemetery Lot Sales	44,370.00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund Income	16,847.64	
Tax Funding Loans (Overlay Deficit) ..	631.63	
Overlay Levy and Surplus	155,383.52	
Food Stamp Plan	40,000.00	
Deposits and Payroll Tailings	11,859.50	
Plainville Road Relocation	7,194.55	
Total Reserve Accounts.....		487,871.54

Trust, Retirement and Post-War Funds:

Trust Funds:		
Library Trust Funds	\$346,863.86	
School Trust Funds	83,816.14	
Playground Fund	5,000.00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	598,371.79	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Fund	129,888.62	
Total Trust Funds	\$1,163,940.41	

Annuity Savings and Pension		
Accumulation Fund	\$658,767.49	
Post-War Activities Funds	454,362.61	

Total Trust, Retirement and Post-War Funds	2,277,070.51
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Special Revenue Accounts	56,900.79
Bonded Debt Outstanding	2,481,000.00
Surplus Account	34,170,715.25

TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS..... \$39,884,866.84

EXHIBIT BCITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS		Total
TAXES.		
1946 Property	\$3,609,685.37	
Personal	576,842.40	
Poll	44,936.00	
Motor Excise	108,260.11	
Vessel Excise	3,150.23	
Prior Years.		
Property	214,483.05	
Personal	3,841.00	
Poll	5,116.00	
Motor Excise	2,276.20	
Vessel Excise	331.41	
Estates	589.99	
TAX TITLES.		
Taxes	47,789.71	
Interest and Cost	4,008.10	
Advertising	223.80	
From the Commonwealth.		
Corporation	886,572.80	
Income	523,603.80	
Old Age Assistance (Meal Tax)...	51,196.86	
Gasoline Taxes	82,220.50	
Total Taxes		\$6,165,127.33
LICENSES AND PERMITS.		
Licensing board	\$133,400.57	
City Clerk	4,579.25	
Boxing	297.01	
State peddlers	200.00	
Board of Health	695.00	
Elevators	74.00	
Total Licenses and Permits		139,245.83
FINES AND FORFEITS.		
Police, court fines		4,292.90

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT B

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Total
FEDERAL GRANTS.	
Old Age Assistance, Administration ...	\$22,931.11
Old Age Assistance, Aid	687,580.41
Aid to Dependent Children, Administration	2,075.69
Aid to Dependent Children, Aid	34,643.58
George-Deen fund, vocational education	3,416.87
George-Deen fund, firemen training ...	25.00
Smith-Hughes fund, vocational education	6,684.01
Smith-Hughes fund, continuation education	2,187.71
Tuberculosis control	3,370.00
Total Federal Grants	\$762,914.38
GRANTS AND GIFTS FROM STATE.	
Vocational School	\$92,224.27
Continuation School	2,567.64
Classes for deaf	2,227.15
Classes for blind	1,000.00
Total Grants and Gifts from State	98,019.06
COUNTY DOG FUND.	
Dog License fund	7,057.16
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS, SEWER ...	91.99
DEPARTMENTAL.	
General Government.	
Treasurer and Collector fees and summons	\$3,199.15
City Property, sales and rents	54,608.29
City Clerk, fees	22,389.99
Registrars of Voters, sales	156.40
Tax Title possessions, sales	13,701.35
Land Court dismissal fees	291.15
Land of Low Value sales	2,897.91
Total General Government	97,244.24
Protection of Persons and Property.	
Police, bicycle registration, sales	\$1,057.44
Fire, rent and sales	119.11
Inspector of Buildings, sales	73.00
Inspector of Wires, sales	18.28
Sealer of Weights and Measures, fees	1,402.80
Total Protection of Persons and Property	2,670.63

EXHIBIT B

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Total
Health and Sanitation.	
Board of Health	\$19.20
Contagious diseases, reimbursements..	30,837.59
Sewer maintenance	2,830.77
Sewage disposal	1,680.06
Sanitary stations, fees, etc.	3,387.39
Total Health and Sanitation	\$38,755.01
Public Works.	
Highway, labor and materials	\$4,732.06
City Yard, sales	57.58
Engineering, sales	31.49
Total Public Works	4,821.13
Charities.	
City Infirmary, sales	\$89.67
Reimbursements, outside relief individuals	6,603.87
Reimbursements, outside relief cities and towns	8,543.97
Reimbursements, outside relief, state	29,847.05
Reimbursements, O.A.A. individuals..	5,588.45
Reimbursements, O.A.A. cities and towns	11,450.54
Reimbursements, O.A.A. state	659,601.52
Reimbursements, A.D.C. state	42,077.19
Total Charities	763,802.26
Soldiers' Benefits.	
Veterans' aid and pensions	\$15,134.94
Veterans' services	518.25
Soldiers' relief	627.92
Total Soldiers' Benefits	16,281.11
Schools.	
Tuition	\$16,828.38
Sales and rent	3,618.04
Vocational High, tuition	20,484.23
Vocational High, sales	2230.69
Continuation schools, tuition	151.10
Continuation schools, sales	177.26
Total Schools	43,489.70

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

EXHIBIT B

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS		Total
Library.		
Fines and sales		\$1,224.41
Recreation.		
Parks, privileges and sales	\$667.47	
Bath houses, fees	2,322.75	
Sargent Field	1,520.00	
Total Recreation		4,510.22
Unclassified.		
Cash discrepancies	\$408.78	
Check tailings	573.15	
N. B. Housing Authority	8,132.93	
Municipal Airport	116.00	
Total Unclassified		9,230.86
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.		
New Bedford Water Works.		
Sales of Water	\$440,470.41	
Service charges	34,485.95	
Miscellaneous	4,663.28	
Transfer receipts—Rates and Charges	7,528.62	
Total New Bedford Water Works..		487,148.26
Wharves.		
Rent and sales		20,982.20
Cemeteries.		
Sale of lots	\$8,935.00	
Care of lots	16,231.93	
Care of endowed lots	12,316.36	
Total Cemeteries		37,483.29
Interest.		
On taxes	\$4,565.05	
On library funds	11,802.47	
On school funds	2,471.73	
On playground fund	87.50	
On Paisler-King fund	229.10	
On Post-War Activities fund	4,358.25	
On Soldiers and Sailors memorial fund	2,559.31	
Total Interest		26,073.41

EXHIBIT B**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD****STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Total
Municipal Indebtedness.	
Temporary revenue loans, 1946	\$1,800,000.00
Agency Trust and Investment.	
Savings Bonds (Employees contribution)	\$15,614.01
Employees Withholding Tax Deductions	345,590.79
Contributory retirement funds	115,657.60
County dog fund	8,798.00
Sewer deposits	13,381.39
Highway deposits	1,409.50
Cemetery perpetual care deposits ..	15,025.00
New Bedford Cooperating Clinic	13,622.24
Library duplicate pay collection fund	259.17
Total Agency Trust and Investment	529,357.70
Refunds.	
General Government	889.26
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS	\$11,060,712.34
Service transfers.	
Building Maintenance—general expenses	\$367.15
Highways—general expenses	81.69
Highways—hired equipment	22.53
Police—general expenses	264.75
Cemeteries—labor	3,296.17
Cemetery 6% Fund	1,604.10
Jonathan Bourne Prize fund	45.00
Reserve for appropriations:	
Elections—general expenses	90.00
Board of Assessors—general expenses	88.50
Sealer of Weights and Measures—general expenses	6.90
Board of Health—general expenses ..	4.81
Forestry—general expenses	77.18
Soldiers' Relief—Aid	97.47
Schools—general expenses	32.01
Sargent Field—general expenses ..	3.00
Temporary Housing—labor	2,125.01
Temporary Housing—general expenses	195.75

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT B

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Total
Service Transfers (Continued).	
Municipal Airport—general expenses	\$28.25
Library—general expenses	12.40
Water Works—general expenses...	2,273.12
Highways—labor	5,008.30
Highways—general expenses	488.63
Highways—hired equipment	54.49
Fire—general expenses	4.00
Sewers and Drains—general expenses	5.87
Sewers and Drains—labor	16.31
Sewers and Drains—hired equipment	3.35
Total Service Transfers	\$16,296.74
Total Cash Receipts	11,060,712.34
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$11,077,009.08
Cash - January 1, 1946	960,283.20
TOTAL	<u><u>\$12,037,292.28</u></u>

EXHIBIT C

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
GENERAL GOVERNMENT.	
City Council.	
Salaries.	
Councillors	\$5,500.00
General Expenses.	
Advertising	\$896.59
Printing, stationery, postage	1,006.52
Binding	306.39
City Council Calendar	67.56
Office and travel expense	122.29
Legal fees	67.70
Plates and badges	129.11
Total General Expenses	2,596.16
Total City Council	\$8,096.16
City Property Committee.	
Auctioneers' fees	\$773.80
Administrative expense	17.05
Sales expense	350.78
Total City Property Committee....	1,141.63
Claims.	
Awards for personal injuries	\$1,417.24
Awards for property damages	361.70
Refunds	43.00
Total Claims	1,821.94
Clerk of Committees.	
Salaries.	
Clerk of committees	\$2,800.00
Secretary	2,227.72
Clerk hire	1,969.92
Total Salaries	\$6,997.64
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$208.42
Office expenses	91.56
Total General Expenses	299.98
Total Clerk of Committees	7,297.62

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

EXHIBIT C

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Mayor.	
Salaries.	
Mayor	\$5,000.00
All other	7,744.31
Total Salaries	\$12,744.31
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery postage	\$165.47
Office and travel expenses	394.66
Entertainment,	61.14
Total General Expenses	621.27
Total Mayor	\$13,365.58
Mayor, Contingent Expenses.	
U. S. Conference of Mayors	\$500.00
Entertainment	143.15
All other expenses	98.32
Total Mayor, Contingent Expenses	741.47
Mayor, Travel Outside State	176.62
City Auditor.	
Salaries.	
City auditor	\$4,700.00
Clerk hire	7,358.99
Total Salaries	\$12,058.99
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$1,090.66
Office expense	477.16
Surety bond	30.00
Total General Expense	1,597.82
Total City Auditor	13,656.81
City Treasurer and Collector.	
Salaries.	
City treasurer and collector	\$4,200.00
Clerk hire	30,240.27
Total Salaries	\$34,440.27

EXHIBIT C

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
City Treasurer and Collector (Continued).	
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$4,042.31
Advertising	372.41
Legal fees	401.75
Surety bonds and insurance	1,152.54
Office expense	650.66
Total General Expenses	\$6,619.67
New Equipment.	
Protectograph	401.80
Total City Treasurer and Collector	\$41,461.74
City Treasurer, Dog Officer.	
Services of dog officer	1,000.00
Board of Assessors.	
Salaries.	
Assessors	\$11,100.00
Assistant assessors	1,504.20
Clerk hire	15,042.32
Total Salaries	\$27,646.52
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$1,186.89
Office and travel expenses	1,012.93
Total General Expenses	2,199.82
Total Board of Assessors	29,846.34
Licensing Board.	
Salaries.	
License commissioners	\$1,500.00
Clerk hire	1,847.23
Total Salaries	\$3,347.23
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$264.23
Office expenses	85.60
Total General Expenses	349.83
Total Licensing Board	3,697.06

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT C

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Sinking Fund Commissioners.	
Salaries.	
Salary of treasurer of fund	\$300.00
Rent of safe deposit box	20.00
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Total Sinking Fund Commissioners	\$320.00
City Solicitor.	
Salaries.	
City solicitor	\$5,200.00
Assistant city solicitor	3,500.00
Clerk hire	1,921.50
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Total Salaries	\$10,621.50
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$143.00
Office and travel expenses	258.40
Law Library	436.51
Legal assistance and fees	127.15
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Total General Expenses	965.06
Total City Solicitor	<hr/> 11,586.56
City Clerk.	
Salaries.	
City clerk	\$4,300.00
Assistant city clerk	3,000.00
Clerk hire	14,330.25
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Total Salaries	\$21,630.25
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$1,062.73
Office and travel expenses	530.69
Surety bond	30.00
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Total General Expenses	1,623.42
Total City Clerk	<hr/> 23,253.67
Custodian Service.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Supervisor of custodians	\$2,286.67
Payrolls, public buildings	45,104.89
Accident compensation	537.00
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Total Salaries and Wages	\$47,928.56

EXHIBIT C

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES**Total****Custodian Service (Continued).**

General Expenses.

Printing, stationery, postage	\$22.00
Building maintenance	1,158.04
Janitors' supplies	1,255.97

Total General Expenses	\$2,436.01
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New Equipment.

Washing Machine	170.00
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Total Custodian Service	\$50,534.57
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Planning Board.

Office Expenses	89.55
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Board of Appeals.

Salary of Stenographer	\$150.00
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General Expenses.

Office expenses	324.91
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Total Board of Appeals	474.91
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Elections.

Pay of precinct officers	\$4,769.00
Equipment of polling places	1,065.00
Rent of polling places	300.00
Clerical assistance	145.10
Janitor and personal services	570.12
Transportation	235.67
Advertising	105.96
Printing, stationery, postage	922.52

Total Elections	8,113.37
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Registrars of Voters.

Salaries.

Registrars	\$2,000.00
Assistant registrars	400.00
Clerk hire	11,694.06

Total Salaries	\$14,094.06
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General Expenses.

Printing, stationery, postage	\$1,365.42
Office expense	430.34

Total General Expenses	1,795.76
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Total Registrars of Voters	15,889.82
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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

EXHIBIT C

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Labor Service Registrar.	
Salary of registrar	\$500.00
Office expense	34.04
Total Labor Service Registrar	\$534.04
Tax Title Proceedings.	
Legal expenses	10.00
Land of Low Value.	
Recording fees	\$129.90
Printing, stationery, postage	27.51
Total Land of Low Value	157.41
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT...	\$233,266.87
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.	
Police.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Chief of department	\$4,050.00
Keeper of lockup	100.00
All other salaries	472,507.99
Total Salaries and Wages	\$476,657.99
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$512.31
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	2,327.44
Motor repairs and supplies	2,661.56
Gasoline and oil	4,502.89
Light, power, fuel, water	3,390.89
Laundry	70.47
Medical services and supplies	603.10
Telephone	1,055.51
Care of prisoners	231.00
Personal services	45.00
Office and travel expenses	242.51
Printing, stationery, postage	1,392.04
Bicycle registration	222.10
Total General Expenses	17,256.82
New Equipment.	
Automobiles	3,042.33
Travel Outside State	14.77
Total Police	496,971.91

EXHIBIT C**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD****STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES**Total****Harbor Master.**

Salary	\$1,765.00	
General Expenses.		
Surety bond	7.50	
Total Harbor Master		\$1,772.50

Fire.

Salaries and Wages.		
Chief of department	\$4,050.00	
All other salaries	462,651.37	
Total Salaries and Wages		\$466,701.37

General Expenses.

Building repairs and supplies	\$909.49	
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	263.76	
Motor repairs and supplies	3,797.22	
Gasoline and oil	887.66	
Light, power, fuel, water	10,801.89	
Medical services and supplies	1,867.48	
Janitors' supplies	483.67	
Signal system repairs and supplies	2,317.67	
New Bedford Protecting Society ..	200.00	
Telephone	997.47	
Printing, stationery, postage	810.46	
Office expenses	152.62	
Total General Expenses		23,489.39

New Equipment.

Pumper	\$13,250.00	
Trucks	32,830.00	
Hose	1,256.85	
Total New Equipment		47,336.85

Total Fire		537,527.61
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Committee on Military and Naval Affairs.

Light and telephone	\$55.74	
Repairs and supplies	12.00	

Total Committee on Military and Naval Affairs		67.74
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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT C**OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES****Total****Superintendent of Public Buildings
and Inspector of Buildings.**

Salaries.

Superintendent and Inspector	\$4,200.00
Assistant inspectors	11,491.63
Clerk hire	2,679.22

Total Salaries	\$18,370.85
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General Expenses.

Printing, stationery, postage	\$364.34
Office and travel expenses	115.38
Motor repairs and supplies	417.02
Gasoline and oil	223.29

Total General Expenses	1,120.03
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New Equipment.

Automobiles	1,944.98
Travel Outside State	148.50

Total Superintendent of Public Buildings and Inspector of Buildings	\$21,584.36
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Building Maintenance.

Salaries and Wages.

Salaries	\$28,299.32
Labor	3,532.00
Hired equipment	249.00

Total Salaries and Wages.....	\$32,080.32
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General Expenses.

Building repairs and supplies	\$4,154.62
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	2,437.67
Light, power, fuel, water	16,242.32
Telephone	4,269.10
Motor repairs and supplies	173.80
Gasoline and oil	86.82
Printing and stationery	30.42
Office expense	16.22

Total General Expenses	27,410.97
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New Equipment.

Electric blower	67.93
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Total Building Maintenance	59,559.22
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EXHIBIT C

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Inspector of Wires.	
Salaries.	
Inspector	\$2,200.00
Assistant inspectors	8,137.15
Clerk hire	3,572.26
Total Salaries	\$13,909.41
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$352.33
Office and travel expenses	210.44
Motor repairs and supplies	111.19
Gasoline and oil	178.81
Total General Expenses	852.77
Total Inspector of Wires	\$14,762.18
Police Signal System.	
Salaries.	
Superintendent	\$500.00
Electrician and lineman	4,416.83
Total Salaries	\$4,916.83
General Expenses.	
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	\$1,368.88
Light, water, fuel	212.09
Motor repairs and supplies	191.81
Gasoline and oil	62.20
All other expenses	69.73
Total General Expenses	1,904.71
New Equipment.	
Automobile	864.99
Total Police Signal System	7,686.53
Street Lighting.	
Salary of superintendent	\$1,000.00
General Expenses.	
Lighting charges	\$103,619.17
Motor repairs and supplies	76.94
Gasoline and oil	46.96
Printing, stationery, postage	60.15
Total General Expenses	103,803.22
Total Street Lighting	104,803.22

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

EXHIBIT C

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Sealer of Weights and Measures.	
Salaries.	
Sealer	\$2,715.60
Deputy sealer	3,502.84
Total Salaries	\$6,218.44
General Expenses.	
Tools and seals	\$166.14
Motor repairs and supplies	195.85
Gasoline and oil	140.54
Printing, stationery, postage	47.70
Office expenses	67.14
Total General Expenses	617.37
New Equipment.	
Automobile	980.23
Total Sealer of Weights and Measures	\$7,816.04
TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY	\$1,252,551.31
HEALTH AND SANITATION.	
Board of Health.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Board members	\$1,416.43
Agent and medical officer	5,200.00
Physicians	6,050.00
Nurses	18,813.61
Technician	2,443.16
Inspectors	12,088.39
Isolation hospital	7,885.24
Clerk hire	6,990.46
Total Salaries and Wages	\$60,887.29
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$529.77
Office and travel expenses	893.38
Motor repairs and supplies	1,192.86
Gasoline and oil	340.14
Carfares for nurses	367.76
Milk division expenses	189.00

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Board of Health (Continued).	
Contagious diseases	\$632.08
Tuberculosis care	140,971.64
Baby Clinic	509.11
Isolation hospital	2,689.83
Total General Expenses	\$148,315.57
New Equipment.	
Automobiles	\$2,028.22
Ventilation system	166.00
Total New Equipment	2,194.22
Total Board of Health	\$211,397.08
Tuberculosis Control—U. S. Grant.	
Clinic expenses	14,031.45
Dental Clinics.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Dentists	\$4,118.42
Dental assistants	2,452.32
Janitors	95.03
Total Salaries and Wages	\$6,665.77
General Expenses.	
Dental supplies	\$366.38
Laundry	121.20
Repairs and supplies	62.25
Total General Expenses	549.83
Total Dental Clinics	7,215.60
Water Analysis.	
Salary	83.57
New Bedford Cooperating Clinic.	
Salaries.	
Physicians	\$4,801.56
Nurses and attendants	4,548.09
Clerk hire	1,855.00
Total Salaries	\$11,204.65

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
New Bedford Cooperating Clinic (Continued).	
General Expenses.	
Equipment and supplies	\$436.86
Rent	1,512.57
Laundry	182.51
Light	82.77
Telephone	86.14
Printing, stationery, postage	186.62
Office and travel expenses	397.60
Total General Expenses	\$2,885.07
Total New Bedford Cooperating Clinic	\$14,089.72
City Physician.	
Salary	1,900.00
Inspector of Animals.	
Salary	585.48
Vital Statistics.	
Fees for birth returns	\$521.00
Fees for death returns	323.25
Total Vital Statistics	844.25
Garbage Disposal.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Superintendent	\$3,200.00
Assistant superintendent	2,819.81
Inspector	1,921.50
Labor	21,297.51
Accident compensation	349.13
Total Salaries and Wages	\$29,587.95
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$6,877.92
Light, power, fuel, water	226.38
Equipment repairs and supplies	260.52
Motor repairs and supplies	314.35
Gasoline and oil	134.60
Medical services and supplies	56.79
Printing, stationery, postage	27.15
Office and travel expenses	194.65
Total General Expenses	8092.36
Total Garbage Disposal	37,680.31

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Garbage Collection.	
Wages.	
Labor	\$102,571.68
Accident Compensation	781.58
Total Wages	\$103,353.26
General Expenses.	
Motor repairs and supplies	\$3,327.72
Gasoline and oil	2,980.79
Medical services and supplies	361.85
Truck hire	186.00
Total General Expenses	6,856.36
New Equipment.	
Automobiles	1,577.08
Total Garbage Collection	\$111,786.70
TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION	\$399,614.16
PUBLIC WORKS.	
Highways.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Commissioner	\$5,200.00
Clerks and foremen	24,290.88
Labor	253,268.39
Hired equipment	30,030.82
Accident compensation	2,960.22
Total Salaries and Wages	\$315,750.31
General Expenses.	
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	\$10,254.90
Motor repairs and supplies	10,442.44
Gasoline and oil	8,198.00
Yard supplies	5,536.35
Traffic signs	363.82
Crushed stone, sand, gravel	13,936.31
Road binder	35,476.37
Medical services and supplies	904.56
Light, power, fuel, water	3,405.09
Printing, stationery, postage	1,039.73
Office and travel expenses	1,061.08
Total General Expenses	90,618.65

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Highways (Continued).	
New Equipment.	
Motor equipment	\$33,105.11
Total Highways	\$439,474.07
Forestry.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Clerk hire	\$1,765.00
Foremen	2,274.44
Labor	12,217.33
Hired equipment	384.00
Total Salaries and Wages	\$16,640.77
General Expenses.	
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	\$171.13
Forestry supplies	473.17
Motor repairs and supplies	821.80
Gasoline and oil	360.30
Light and power	34.75
Office supplies and expenses	36.25
Total General Expenses	1,897.40
New Equipment.	
Truck	1,597.41
Total Forestry	20,135.58
Engineering.	
Salaries.	
Clerk hire	\$3,655.72
Assistants	21,225.42
Total Salaries	\$24,881.14
General Expenses.	
Engineering supplies	\$164.20
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	99.88
Motor repairs and supplies	680.85
Gasoline and oil	266.64
Light and power	146.83
Printing, stationery, postage	332.98
Office and travel expenses	195.62
Total General Expenses	1,887.00
Total Engineering	26,768.14

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES**Total****Sewers and Drains.**

Wages.

Labor	\$9,736.33
Hired Equipment	794.78

Total Wages	\$10,531.11
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General Expenses.

Equipment repairs and supplies ...	\$397.96
Sewer repairs and supplies	1,292.24
Motor repairs and supplies	404.32
Gasoline and oil	152.49
Printing, stationery, postage	19.75

Total General Expenses	2,266.76
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Total Sewers and Drains	\$12,797.87
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Sewage Disposal.

Salaries and Wages.

Superintendent	\$3,017.00
Labor	24,262.28

Total Salaries and Wages	\$27,279.28
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General Expenses.

Equipment repairs and supplies ...	\$1,946.41
Motor repairs and supplies	478.49
Gasoline and oil	371.76
Light, power, fuel, water	9,601.41
Telephone	281.76
Office and travel expenses	67.99

Total General Expenses	12,747.82
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New Equipment.

Automobile	1,352.76
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Total Sewage Disposal	41,379.86
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Bridges.

Wages.

Labor	\$12.81
Hired equipment	5.25

Total Wages	\$18.06
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Bridges (Continued).

General Expenses.

Supplies and labor	\$23.58	
Total General Expenses		\$41.64

TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS	\$540,597.16
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CHARITIES.

Board of Public Welfare, Administration.

Salaries.

Chairman of board	\$3,900.00
Other members	1,000.00
Secretary	3,019.61
Visitors	7,091.89
Clerks	6,780.28
Physicians	4,304.15

Total Salaries	\$26,095.93
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General Expenses.

Printing, stationery, postage	\$512.00
Office and travel expenses	465.63
Motor repairs and supplies	135.75
Gasoline and oil	114.37

Total General Expenses	1,227.75
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New Equipment

Typewriter	130.70
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Total Board of Public Welfare,

Administration	\$27,454.38
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Board of Public Welfare, Aid.

Cash disbursements	\$147,334.98
Board and care	7,128.74
Burials	4,363.75
Cities and towns	5,653.56
Medical services and supplies	3,533.76
Dental and optical	368.25
Hospitals	20,454.65
Groceries	776.99
Fuel	1,824.58
Furnishings and clothing	1,976.31
State institutions	10,758.74

Total Board of Public Welfare, Aid	204,174.31
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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
City Infirmary.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Superintendent	\$2,546.43
Physician	665.00
Personal services	781.72
Infirmary, wages	44,253.67
Accident compensation	15.43
Total Salaries and Wages	\$48,262.25
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$1,948.01
Equipment repairs and supplies	1,192.10
Farming supplies	219.76
Livestock and supplies	6,320.87
Light, power, fuel, water	6,286.66
Groceries	11,451.40
Clothing	351.28
Medical services and supplies	689.51
Motor repairs and supplies	139.75
Gasoline and oil	227.31
Printing, stationery, postage	72.30
Office and travel expenses	239.88
Total General Expenses	29,138.83
New Equipment.	
Trailer	173.00
Total City Infirmary	\$77,574.08
Old Age Assistance, Administration.	
Salaries.	
Supervisor	\$2,808.34
Clerks	14,453.59
Visitors	27,487.13
Total Salaries	\$44,749.06
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$2,148.09
Motor repairs and supplies	137.27
Gasoline and oil	111.70
Office and travel expenses	709.25
Total General Expenses	3,106.31

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Old Age Assistance, Administration (Continued).	
New Equipment.	
Typewriter	\$125.00
Adding machine	252.00
Total New Equipment	\$377.00
Total Old Age Assistance, Administration	\$48,232.37
Old Age Assistance, Aid.	
Cash disbursements	\$1,716,192.43
Cities and towns	8,204.90
Total Old Age Assistance, Aid.	1,724,397.33
Aid to Dependent Children, Administration.	
Salaries.	
Supervisor	\$2,453.58
Clerks	2,436.80
Visitors	1,734.46
Total Salaries	\$6,624.84
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	252.72
Office and travel expense	144.43
Total General Expenses	397.15
New Equipment.	
Typewriter	125.00
Total Aid to Dependent Children, Administration	7,146.99
Aid to Dependent Children, Aid.	
Cash disbursements	137,227.75
TOTAL CHARITIES	\$2,226,207.21
VETERANS' SERVICES.	
Salaries.	
Officer	\$2,800.00
Clerks	2,495.40
Photo machine operator	2,206.78
Total Salaries	\$7,502.18

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
VETERANS' SERVICES (Continued).	
General Expenses.	
Photostatic supplies	\$890.47
Printing, stationery, postage	208.70
Office and travel expenses	44.49
Total General Expenses.	\$1,143.66
TOTAL VETERANS' SERVICES	\$8,654.84
VETERANS' BENEFITS.	
Military Aid	\$2,855.00
State Aid	3,370.00
War Allowance	3,170.75
Soldiers' Burials.	
Undertakers	\$502.24
Agents	12.00
Total Soldiers' Burials	514.24
Soldiers' Relief, Administration.	
Salaries.	
Agent	\$2,362.34
Clerk hire	3,141.32
Total Salaries.	5,503.66
General Expenses.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$155.70
Office expense	45.93
Motor repairs and supplies	294.61
Gasoline and oil	134.99
Total General Expenses.	631.23
Soldiers' Relief, Aid.	
Cash disbursements	\$28,183.02
Furnishings and clothing	377.97
Fuel	1,574.18
Hospitals	6,252.78
Medical services and supplies	3,591.68
Travel	21.90
Total Soldiers' Relief, Aid	40,001.53
TOTAL VETERANS' BENEFITS	56,046.41

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves.	
Care of graves	\$1,948.36
Rent, War Veterans' Headquarters.	
Post 1, American Legion	\$1,575.00
Andrews-Dahill Post, 1531,	725.00
Disabled American Veterans of the	
World War Chapter 7	72.00
Jewish War Veterans	128.00
Total Rent War Veterans'	
Headquarters	2,500.00
TOTAL MILITARY ACTIVITIES	\$69,140.61
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.	
Salaries.	
Schools.	
Superintendent	\$6,976.00
Assistant superintendents	9,400.00
Teachers	1,178,747.41
Total Salaries, Schools	\$1,195,123.41
Incidentals, Salaries and Wages.	
Clerk hire	\$27,842.67
Property inspectors and mechanics...	4,516.00
Attendance officers	21,867.80
Athletic coaches	10,073.89
Health and hygiene	22,203.73
Custodians and cleaners	145,196.35
Custodians, compensation	365.43
Snow removal	15.56
Total Incidentals, Salaries and	
wages	\$232,081.43
Continuation Schools, Salaries and	
Wages.	
Teachers	\$34,835.54
Clerk hire	3,150.28
Custodians	3,405.82
Total Continuation Schools,	
Salaries and Wages	\$41,391.64
Total Salaries and Wages	\$1,468,596.48

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES**Total****Public Schools (Continued).**

General Expenses.

Incidentals.

Books and stationery supplies	\$13,065.38
Classroom and shop supplies	9,722.26
Building repairs and supplies	14,381.93
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	6,812.92
Engine room supplies	695.42
Furniture and furnishings	1,559.34
Light, power, fuel, water	66,478.00
Janitors' supplies	4,244.41
Medical services and supplies	642.29
Transportation of pupils	3,415.00
County training schools	295.63
Motor repairs and supplies	843.70
Gasoline and oil	481.28
Visual education	1,121.14
Printing, stationery, postage	2,719.82
Office and travel expenses	824.42
Telephone	3,210.32

Total Incidentals, General

Expenses \$130,513.26

Continuation Schools.

Classroom and shop supplies	\$555.79
Building repairs and supplies	109.97
Equipment repairs and supplies	249.30
Light, power, fuel, water.....	2,650.65
Janitors' supplies	127.88
Printing, stationery, postage	63.50
Office and travel expenses	217.59
Telephone	166.06

Total Continuation Schools,

General Expenses \$4,140.74

Total General Expenses

\$134,654.00

New Equipment.

Office equipment	\$3,543.03
Educational equipment	482.59
Building equipment	11,127.93
Shop equipment	200.25
Automobiles	1,960.46

Total New Equipment

17,314.26

Military Service

1,715.81

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Public Schools (Continued).	
Outside Activities.	
Salaries	\$30.00
Supplies	499.44
Total Outside Activities	\$529.44
Total Public Schools	\$1,622,809.99
Adult Education.	
Salaries.	
Teachers	\$11,941.93
General Expenses.	
Classroom supplies	\$129.98
Office and travel expenses	119.98
Total General Expenses	249.96
Total Adult Education	12,191.89
Evening Schools.	
Salaries, teachers	\$7,137.00
General Expenses.	
Classroom supplies	\$80.85
Printing, stationery, postage	69.77
Fuel	149.38
Total General Expenses	300.00
Total Evening Schools	7,437.00
New Bedford Vocational High School.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Director	\$4,200.00
Teachers	160,751.58
Clerk hire	3,825.65
Pupil caretakers	1,445.50
Custodians and watchmen	8,933.53
Total Salaries and Wages	\$179,156.26
General Expenses.	
Classroom and shop supplies	\$11,104.52
Books and stationery supplies	705.21
Building repairs and supplies	946.80
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	4,314.06
Janitors' supplies	440.29

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES**Total****Public Schools** (Continued).

Light, power, fuel, water	\$10,593.06
Gasoline and oil	223.80
Medical services and supplies	346.37
Tuition to other cities	238.42
Graduation expenses	107.90
Printing, stationery, postage	552.98
Telephone	445.62
Office expense	76.18
Freight and express	1,213.03

Total General Expenses	\$31,308.24
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New Equipment.

Electrical equipment	1,051.06
Building equipment	1,037.59
Cafeteria equipment	85.00
Shop equipment	1,006.81

Total New Equipment	3,180.46
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Military Service	245.96
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Total New Bedford Vocational

High School	\$213,890.92
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School Funds.**Jonathan Bourne Prize Fund.**

Cash prize for essays	60.00
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Charles S. Paisler High School Fund.

Books	\$47.11
Educational expenses	65.00

Total	112.11
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Sylvia Ann Howland Fund.

Books and periodicals	\$1,406.22
Printing and stationery	144.51
Office and travel expenses	802.11
Personal services	100.00

Total	2,452.84
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Smith-Hughes Fund.

Continuation schools, payrolls	\$2,098.32
Vocational school, payrolls	6,697.01

Total	8,795.33
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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Public Schools (Continued).	
George-Deen Fund.	
Vocational school, payrolls	\$1,930.00
Vocational school, travel	204.03
Total	\$2,134.03
TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOLS	\$1,869,884.11
LIBRARIES.	
Free Public Library.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Librarian	\$5,200.00
Assistant librarian	2,370.14
All other salaries	60,532.38
Total Salaries and Wages	\$68,102.52
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$252.52
Insurance	330.79
Light, power, fuel, water	1,219.00
Janitors' supplies	659.26
Books and book binding	2,151.79
Transportation of books	25.50
Printing, stationery, postage	2,261.40
Office and travel expenses	328.45
Telephone	422.63
Educational expenses	733.19
Total General Expenses	8,384.53
New Equipment.	
Office equipment	\$488.68
Furnishings	15.32
Total New Equipment	504.00
Total Free Public Library	\$76,991.05
Out of State Travel	75.00

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
LIBRARY FUNDS.	
George O. Crocker Fund.	
Books	\$402.80
Oliver Crocker Fund	
Books	44.63
James B. Congdon Fund.	
Books	17.71
George Howland Jr. Fund.	
Books	45.45
Charles W. Morgan Fund.	
Books	39.56
Charles L. Wood Fund.	
Books	45.33
Sylvia Ann Howland Fund.	
Books and periodicals	2,044.89
Elizabeth B. Mackie Fund.	
Books	44.54
Duplicate Pay Collection Fund.	
Books	186.22
Kempton Fund, Gift of Sarah E. Potter.	
Books and periodicals	\$9,236.02
Building repairs and supplies	82.46
Printing, stationery, postage	38.48
Office expenses	12.57
Total	9,369.53
Total Library Funds	\$12,240.66
TOTAL LIBRARIES	\$89,306.71

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
RECREATION.	
Park Commission.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Superintendent	\$3,350.00
Clerks	3,425.65
Labor	37,309.23
Keepers and police	17,310.75
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Total Salaries and Wages	\$61,395.63
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$681.21
Property maintenance	989.67
Equipment repairs and supplies	735.46
Light, power, fuel, water	2,701.01
Horticultural supplies	348.52
Animals and animal supplies	1,697.66
Recreational supplies	201.18
Motor repairs and supplies	789.70
Gasoline and oil	569.45
Medical services and supplies	32.89
Printing, stationery, postage	252.59
Office and travel expenses	73.01
Telephone	197.76
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Total General Expenses	9,270.11
New Equipment.	
Automobiles	\$4,116.02
Tools	464.88
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Total New Equipment	4,580.90
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Total Park Commission	\$75,246.64
Bath Houses.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Superintendent	\$2,442.14
Attendants and police	8,212.69
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Total Salaries and Wages	\$10,654.83
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$164.39
Property maintenance	266.94
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	285.23
Light, power, fuel, water	262.50

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
Bath Houses (Continued).	
Laundry	\$96.06
Medical supplies	25.22
Telephone	67.69
Total General Expenses	\$1,168.03
Total Bath Houses	\$11,822.86
Playgrounds.	
Salaries, leaders	\$3,876.40
General Expenses.	
Equipment repairs and supplies ...	\$308.00
Recreational supplies	214.32
Medical supplies	18.85
Administrative expenses	178.36
Total General Expenses	719.53
New Equipment.	
Recreational equipment	915.54
Total Playgrounds	5,511.47
Youth Activities.	
Salaries, supervisors	\$6,031.80
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$125.50
Recreational supplies	67.35
Rent	480.00
Light	327.26
Telephone	56.94
Office expenses	11.36
Total General Expenses	1,068.41
Total Youth Activities	7,100.21
TOTAL RECREATION	\$99,681.18
MUNICIPAL CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT FUNDS.	
Administrative expenses	\$2,873.50
Pension accumulation fund	156,433.00
Military service	3,000.00
Total Municipal Contributory Retirement Funds	\$162,306.50

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OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
MEMORIAL DAY.	
Printing, stationery, postage	\$109.75
Flags and flowers	229.50
Music	851.75
Grave markers	66.00
Equipment hire	49.00
Car hire	71.00
Personal services	152.79
Total Memorial Day	\$1,529.79
VETERANS' WELCOME HOME FUND.	
Salaries, clerk	\$66.00
General Expenses.	
Administrative expenses	\$82.09
Insurance and license	163.00
Equipment and supplies	843.52
Entertainment and decorations	3,804.00
Total General Expenses	4,892.61
Total Veteran's Welcome Home Fund	4,958.61
INDEMNIFICATION OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES	
	400.00
MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.	
Salaries and Wages	
Manager	\$476.18
Assistant Manager	371.43
Ground crew	3,800.72
Office manager	162.00
Total Salaries and Wages	\$4,810.33
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$586.11
Equipment repairs and supplies	450.70
Light, power, fuel, water	519.08
Gasoline and oil	94.53
Printing, stationery, postage	137.03
Office expenses	55.79
Total General Expenses	1,843.24
Total Municipal Airport	6,653.57

EXHIBIT C**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD****STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES		Total
SARGENT FIELD FUND.		
Salaries and Wages.		
Agent and Custodians	\$3,408.38	
Labor	60.00	
Total Salaries and Wages		\$3,468.38
General Expenses.		
Property maintenance	929.01	
Equipment repairs and supplies	433.19	
Light, power, fuel, water	416.20	
Motor repairs and supplies	90.82	
Administrative expenses	66.27	
Total General Expenses		1,935.49
New Equipment.		
Fence		2,167.97
Total Sargent Field Fund		\$7,571.84
TEMPORARY HOUSING PROJECT.		
Labor		\$2,024.42
General Expenses.		
Equipment repairs and supplies	\$8,315.70	
Electrical work	2,000.00	
Building repairs and supplies	8,078.92	
Total General Expenses		18,394.62
Total Temporary Housing Project..		20,419.04
NEW BEDFORD PRICE CONTROL BOARD.		
Printing and stationery	\$17.80	
Light	43.09	
Telephone	470.20	
Office and travel expenses	171.34	
Total New Bedford Price Control Board		702.43
MT. PLEASANT STREET		9.79
PUMPING STATION REPAIRS		11,920.00
INSURANCE, MUNICIPALLY OWNED VEHICLES		2,745.84

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

EXHIBIT C

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
PLAINVILLE ROAD RE-LOCATION..	\$1,550.00
COURT JUDGMENTS	3,483.28
CIVILIAN DEFENSE	3,500.00
PENSIONS.	
Custodian service	\$1,628.15
Police	67,268.38
Fire	36,247.02
Inspector of buildings	993.13
Sealer of weights and measures	1,050.00
Garbage disposal	2,444.46
Highways	9,325.99
Forestry	866.05
Sewage disposal	786.50
City infirmary	1,336.92
Aid to dependent children	441.14
Schools, teachers	2,527.70
Schools, incidentals	9,830.07
Vocational high school	953.85
Parks	3,892.16
Water Works	2,520.71
Cemeteries	1,511.65
Total Pensions	143,623.88
PAISLER-KING FUND	229.10
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES.	
New Bedford Water Works.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Superintendent	\$5,200.00
Clerks and meter readers	35,780.32
Water supply, salaries	41,512.32
Water service, salaries	12,782.54
Labor	89,492.93
Accident compensation	101.16
Total Salaries and Wages	\$184,869.27
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$2,532.67
Property maintenance	1,383.76
Equipment repairs and supplies	13,378.09
Meter repairs and supplies	9,556.28
Hardware and tools	1,741.00

EXHIBIT C

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
New Bedford Water Works (Continued).	
Pipe and fittings	\$17,448.56
Motor repairs and supplies	2,052.96
Gasoline and oil	1,829.67
Light and power	17,886.65
Fuel	25,579.58
Water treatment	2,260.90
Street cuts repaired	6,744.20
Insurance	1,022.94
Taxes, other towns	4,422.16
Medical services and supplies	168.23
Printing, stationery, postage	2,724.61
Office and travel expenses	1,114.04
Telephone	813.41
Total General Expenses	\$112,659.71
New Equipment.	
Automobiles	\$3,556.82
Pumps	431.88
Office equipment	1,731.30
Total New Equipment	5,720.00
Total New Bedford Water Works..	\$303,248.98
Wharf Commission.	
Property Maintenance	\$67,094.83
Light, power, fuel, water	158.64
Administrative expenses	118.91
Total Wharf Commission	67,372.38
TOTAL PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES	\$370,621.36
CEMETERIES.	
Salaries and Wages.	
Superintendent	\$2,700.00
Clerk hire	5,470.27
Attendants	2,695.32
Labor	63,892.40
Accident compensation	40.00
Total Salaries and Wages	\$74,797.99

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT C

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
CEMETERIES (Continued).	
General Expenses.	
Building repairs and supplies	\$44.96
Property maintenance	675.79
Equipment repairs and supplies	910.95
Horticultural supplies	172.18
Medical services and supplies	42.34
Motor repairs and supplies	518.26
Gasoline and oil	480.76
Light, power, fuel, water	1,228.59
Printing, stationery, postage	419.39
Office and travel expenses	98.91
Telephone	172.23
Total General Expenses	\$4,764.36
New Equipment.	
Motor equipment	\$4,020.46
Tools	59.50
Typewriter	124.24
Total New Equipment	4,204.20
Total Cemetery Department	\$83,766.55
Cemetery 6% Fund.	
Care of lots	1,397.81
TOTAL CEMETERIES	\$85,164.36
INTEREST.	
On bonded debt	\$98,869.67
On Post-War Rehabilitation fund	4,358.25
On soldiers and sailors memorial fund..	2,559.31
TOTAL INTEREST	105,787.23
BONDED DEBT	600,000.00
TEMPORARY REVENUE LOAN NOTES	1,800,000.00
AGENCY TRUST AND INVESTMENT.	
County dog tax	\$8,867.60
Current tax payment deductions	348,224.62
War bonds purchases	16,772.85
Check tailings	1.05
Cash discrepancies	444.07

EXHIBIT C

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURES	Total
AGENCY TRUST AND INVESTMENT (Continued).	
Sewer deposits	\$3,209.29
Highways deposits	119.63
Cemetery perpetual care fund	15,025.00
Retirement system deductions	115,657.60
TOTAL AGENCY TRUST AND INVESTMENT	\$508,321.71
STATE AND COUNTY INDEBTEDNESS.	
State of Massachusetts Assessments.	
State tax	\$91,750.00
Municipal audit	3,249.48
Retirement system audit	418.56
State parks and reservations	6,828.16
Hospital care of veterans	37.50
New Bedford Textile School	10,000.00
Total State Assessments	112,283.70
County Tax	236,658.59
REFUNDS.	
Taxes of 1946	\$2,460.54
Taxes of prior years	1,461.10
Interest and costs on taxes	47.22
Departmental refunds	392.31
Total Refunds	4,361.17
Total Expenditures for the year ended December 31, 1946	\$10,975,051.11
Add—Warrants payable 1946	189,174.09
Less—Unpaid warrants as of December 31, 1946, included in above expenditures..	\$11,164,225.20
Cash balance December 31, 1946	\$10,816,241.52
Total	\$12,037,292.28

AUDITOR'S REPORT 1946

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT D

CLASSIFICATION	Receipts		Expenditures		Indebtedness
	Ordinary	Indebtedness	Operating	New Equipment	
Taxes	\$6,165,127.33				
Licenses and Permits	139,245.83				
Fines and Forfeits	4,292.90				
Federal Grants	762,914.38				
Grants and Gifts from State	98,019.05				
County Dog Fund	7,057.16				
Special Assessments	91.99		\$232,695.07	\$571.80	
General Government	97,244.24		1,198,314.00	54,237.31	
Protection of Persons and Property ..	2,670.63		395,842.86	3,771.30	
Health and Sanitation	38,755.01		504,541.88	35,055.28	
Public Works	4,821.13		2,225,532.21	675.00	
Charities	763,802.26		69,140.61		
Military Activities	16,281.11		1,854,793.26	22,662.69	
Schools	43,489.70		88,802.71	504.00	
Library	1,224.41		94,184.74	5,495.44	
Recreation	4,510.22				
Municipal Contributory Retirement Funds	115,657.60		162,306.50		
Unclassified	9,230.85		201,725.33		
Public Service Enterprises	487,148.26		297,528.98	5,720.00	
Wharves	20,982.20		67,372.38		
Cemeteries	37,483.29		80,960.15	4,204.20	
Interest	26,073.41		105,787.23		
Indebtedness		\$1,800,000.00			\$2,400,000.00
Agency Trust and Investment	413,700.10		508,321.71		
State and County Accounts	889.26		348,942.29		
Refunds	16,296.74		4,361.17		
Transfers					
	\$9,277,009.08	\$1,800,000.00	\$8,441,153.09	\$133,898.02	\$2,400,000.00

EXHIBIT D
(Continued)

RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

Receipts	\$9,277,009.08	Expenditures	\$8,441,153.09
Indebtedness	1,800,000.00	New Equipment	133,898.02
		Indebtedness	2,400,000.00
	<u>\$11,077,009.08</u>		
		Warrants of Prior years paid	\$10,975,051.11
			189,174.09
			<u>\$11,164,225.20</u>
		Unpaid Warrants 1946	347,933.68
			<u>\$10,816,241.52</u>
Cash January 1, 1946	960,283.20	Cash December 31, 1946	1,221,050.76
	<u>\$12,037,292.28</u>		<u>\$12,037,292.28</u>

ANALYSIS OF APPROPRIATIONS, RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR JANUARY 1, 1946 TO DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT E

ACCOUNTS	1946 Appropriations and Balances 1945	Appropriations Receipts and Transfers	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Cash Receipts
City Council—(s. & w.)	\$5,500.00		\$5,500.00		
City Council—(g. e.)	1,825.00	\$775.00	2,596.16	\$3.84	
City Property Committee	475.00	675.00	1,141.63	8.37	\$54,608.29
Claims	2,150.00		1,821.94	328.06	
Clerk of Committees—(s. & w.)	6,397.64	600.00	6,997.64		
Clerk of Committees—(g. e.)	300.00		299.98	.02	
Mayor—(s. & w.)	12,320.83	588.48	12,744.31	165.00	
Mayor—(g. e.)	675.00		621.27	53.73	
Mayor—travel outside State	350.00		176.62	173.38	
Mayor—contingent expenses	900.00		741.47	158.53	
City Auditor—(s. & w.)	12,253.25	898.24	12,058.99	1,092.50	
City Auditor—(g. e.)	1,625.00		1,597.82	27.18	
City Treasurer and Collector—(s. & w.)	30,295.84	4,171.16	34,440.27	26.73	
City Treasurer and Collector—(g. e.)	7,025.00	7.10	6,619.67	412.43	3,199.15
City Treasurer—Dog Officer	1,000.00		1,000.00		
Board of Assessors—(s. & w.)	25,662.00	2,000.00	27,646.52	15.48	
Board of Assessors—(g. e.)	2,200.00		2,199.82	.18	
Licensing Board—(s. & w.)	4,069.41	215.36	3,347.23	937.54	
Licensing Board—(g. e.)	350.00		349.83	.17	
Sinking Fund Commissioners—(s. & w.)	300.00		300.00		
Sinking Fund Commissioners—(g. e.)	20.00		20.00		
City Solicitor—(s. & w.)	10,025.50	600.00	10,621.50	4.00	
City Solicitor—(g. e.)	960.00	10.00	965.06	4.94	
City Clerk—(s. & w.)	19,520.01	2,184.64	21,630.25	74.40	
City Clerk—(g. e.)	1,630.00		1,623.42	6.58	22,389.99
Board of Survey—(g. e.)	50.00		50.00		
Custodian Service—(s. & w.)	44,452.90	4,398.08	47,928.56	922.42	
Custodian Service—(g. e.)	2,445.00		2,436.01	8.99	
Planning Board—(g. e.)	75.00	15.00	89.55	.45	
Board of Appeals—(s. & w.)	150.00		150.00		
Board of Appeals—(g. e.)	175.00	200.00	324.91	50.09	
Elections—(g. e.)	9,100.00		8,113.37	986.63	
Registrar of Voters—(s. & w.)	12,948.30	1,311.36	14,094.06	165.60	
Registrar of Voters—(g. e.)	1,800.00		1,795.76	4.24	156.40
Labor Service Registrar—(s. & w.)	500.00		500.00		
Labor Service Registrar—(g. e.)	45.00		45.00	10.96	
Tax Title Proceedings—(g. e.)	100.00	99.50	10.50	189.50	
Land of Low Value—(g. e.)	325.00		157.41	167.59	
Police—(s. & w.)	447,030.52	41,065.15	476,557.99	11,437.68	
Police—(g. e.)	16,995.00	264.75	17,256.82	2.93	1,057.44
Police travel outside state	15.00		14.77	.23	
Harbor Master—(s. & w.)	1,565.00	200.00	1,765.00		
Harbor Master—(g. e.)	10.00		7.50	2.50	
Fire—(s. & w.)	429,334.92	39,306.81	466,701.37	1,940.36	
Fire—(g. e.)	23,490.00		23,489.39	30.35	119.11
Fire—(n. e.)		50,000.00	46,080.00	3,920.00	
Militia	100.00		67.74	32.26	
Inspector of Buildings—(s. & w.)	17,066.39	1,533.44	18,370.85	228.98	
Inspector of Buildings—(g. e.)	950.00	200.00	1,120.03	29.97	73.00
Inspector of Buildings Travel Outside State	150.00		148.50	1.50	
Building Maintenance—(s. & w.)	25,928.40	2,606.30	28,299.32	235.38	
Building Maintenance—(Labor)	3,132.00	400.00	3,532.00		
Building Maintenance—Hired Equipment	300.00		249.00	51.00	
Building Maintenance—(g. e.)	26,776.00	1,078.30	27,410.97	443.33	
Inspector of Wires—(s. & w.)	11,588.75	2,320.66	13,909.41		
Inspector of Wires—(g. e.)	652.80	200.00	852.77	.03	18.28
Police Signal System—(s. & w.)	4,516.83	400.00	4,916.83		
Police Signal System—(g. e.)	1,905.00		1,904.71	.29	
Street Lighting—(s. & w.)	1,000.00		1,000.00		
Street Lighting—(g. e.)	102,551.28	1,300.00	103,803.22	48.06	
Sealer of Weights and Measures—(s. & w.)	6,344.63	400.00	6,218.44	526.19	
Sealer of Weights and Measures—(g. e.)	620.00		617.37	2.63	1,402.80
Board of Health—(s. & w.)	57,225.75	4,902.67	60,887.29	1,241.13	
Board of Health—(g. e.)	149,900.00		148,315.57	1,584.43	38,755.01
Dental Clinic—(s. & w.)	6,100.00	589.24	6,665.77	23.47	
Dental Clinic—(g. e.)	550.00		549.83	.17	
Water Analysis—(s. & w.)	83.57		83.57		
City Physician—(s. & w.)	1,900.00		1,900.00		
Inspector of Animals—(s. & w.)	600.00		585.48	14.52	
Vital Statistics	900.00		844.25	55.75	
Garbage Disposal—(s. & w.)	7,341.31	600.00	7,941.31		
Garbage Disposal—(Labor)	19,740.00	2,294.45	21,646.64	387.81	
Garbage Disposal—(g. e.)	8,510.00	7.95	8,092.36	425.59	
Garbage Collection—(Labor)	92,900.00	10,677.26	103,353.26	224.00	
Garbage Collection—(g. e.)	7,105.00	2.00	6,856.36	250.64	
Highways—(s. & w.)	28,207.50	2,426.56	29,490.88	1,143.18	
Highways—(Labor)	208,330.88	49,495.61	256,228.61	1,597.88	
Highways—(Hired Equipment)	28,000.00	3,522.53	30,030.82	1,491.71	
Highways—(g. e.)	80,000.00	10,630.78	90,618.65	12.13	4,821.13
Forestry—(s. & w.)	3,697.37	418.43	4,039.44	76.36	
Forestry—(Labor)	9,400.60	3,957.76	12,217.33	1,141.03	
Forestry—(Hired Equipment)	500.00		384.00	116.00	
Forestry—(g. e.)	1,900.00		1,897.40	.60	
Engineering—(s. & w.)	21,647.39	3,384.72	24,881.14	150.97	
Engineering—(g. e.)	1,500.00	400.00	1,887.00	13.00	
Sewers and Drains—(Labor)	9,074.34	661.99	9,736.33		
Sewers and Drains—(Hired Equipment)	794.78		794.78		
Sewers and Drains—(g. e.)	2,266.76		2,266.76		
Sewage Disposal—(s. & w.)	2,817.00	200.00	3,017.00		
Sewage Disposal—(Labor)	22,058.24	2,628.41	24,262.28	424.37	
Sewage Disposal—(g. e.)	12,750.00		12,747.82	2.18	
Bridges—(Labor)	50.00		12.81	37.19	
Bridges—(Hired Equipment)	25.00		5.25	19.75	
Bridges—(g. e.)	25.00		23.58	1.42	
Board of Public Welfare Adm.—(s. & w.)	24,609.36	1,951.04	26,095.93	464.47	
Board of Public Welfare Adm.—(g. e.)	1,230.00		1,227.75	2.25	
Board of Public Welfare Adm. (travel outside States)	100.00			100.00	
Board of Public Welfare Aid	180,981.30	28,000.00	204,174.31	4,806.99	44,994.89
City Infirmary—(s. & w.)	42,761.07	5,618.01	48,262.25	116.83	
City Infirmary—(g. e.)	27,157.50	2,000.00	29,138.83	18.67	89.67
Old Age Assistance Adm.—(s. & w.)	17,999.34	27,530.15	44,749.06	780.43	
Old Age Assistance Adm.—(g. e.)	4,340.00		3,106.31	1,233.69	
Old Age Assistance Adm.—(s. & w.)	945,000.00	787,580.41	1,724,397.33	8,183.08	676,640.51
Aid to Dependent Children Adm.—(s. & w.)	3,999.88	4,571.56	6,921.99	1,649.45	
Aid to Dependent Children Adm.—(g. e.)	100.00		100.00		
Aid to Dependent Children—Aid	88,200.00	54,788.67	137,227.75	5,760.92	42,077.19
Veterans' Benefits—(s. & w.)	8,993.74	873.60	7,502.18	2,365.16	
Veterans' Benefits—(g. e.)	2,370.00		1,143.66	1,226.34	
Military Aid	3,626.60		2,855.00	771.60	
State Aid	3,560.00		3,370.00	190.00	
Soldiers' Burials	1,074.34		814.24	560.10	
Soldiers' Relief Adm.—(s. & w.)	4,903.67	600.00	5,503.66	.01	
Soldiers' Relief Adm.—(g. e.)	892.46		631.23	261.23	
Soldiers' Relief—Aid	40,013.65		40,001.53	12.12	16,281.11
War Allowances	4,061.60		3,170.75	890.85	
Rent War Veterans' Headquarters	2,500.00		2,500.00		
Public Schools—(s. & w.)	1,356,984.18	122,218.50	1,468,596.48	10,606.20	
Public Schools—(g. e.)	129,654.00	5,000.00	134,654.00		43,489.70
Public Schools—Military Service	3,000.00		1,715.81	1,284.19	
Public Schools—Outside Activities	7,500.00		529.44	220.56	
Adult Education—(s. & w.)	10,500.00	1,800.00	11,941.93	358.07	
Adult Education—(g. e.)	250.00		249.96	.04	
Evening Schools—(s. & w.)	7,500.00		7,137.00	363.00	
Evening Schools—(g. e.)	300.00		300.00		
Vocational School—(s. & w.)	156,000.00	23,788.16	179,156.26	631.90	
Vocational School—(g. e.)	28,454.00	3,000.80	31,308.24	146.56	
Vocational School—Military Service	256.12		245.96	10.16	
Schools—Jonathan Bourne Prize Fund	60.00		60.00		
Schools—Sylvia Ann Howland Fund	2,825.25	1,998.53	2,452.84	2,370.94	
Schools—Charles S. Pailler Fund	1,301.19	458.20	1,121.11	1,647.28	
Schools—George Deen Fund Vocational	3,661.45	3,416.87	2,134.03	4,944.29	
Schools—Smith-Hughes Fund	2,111.32	8,871.72	8,795.33	2,187.71	
Library—(s. & w.)	63,930.97	7,266.56	68,102.52	3,095.01	
Library—(g. e.)	8,448.00	2.40	8,384.53	65.87	1,224.41
Library—Travel Outside States	75.00		75.00		
Library—James B. Congdon Fund	10.69	7.50	17.71	.48	
Library—George O. Crocker Fund	231.21	275.34	402.80	103.75	
Library—Oliver Crocker Fund	30.63	15.00	44.63	1.00	
Library—George Howland Jr. Fund	23.29	24.00	45.45	1.84	
Library—Charles W. Morgan Fund	27.92	15.00	39.56	3.36	
Library—Charles L. Wood Fund	20.06	30.00	45.33	4.73	
Library—Sylvia Ann Howland Fund	61.26	2,015.79	2,044.89	32.16	
Library—Kempston Fund	442.99	9,404.84	9,369.53	478.30	
Library—Elizabeth B. Mackie Fund	31.23	15.00	44.54	1.69	
Library—Duplicate Pay Collection Fund	273.40	259.17	186.22	346.35	
Park Commission—(s. & w.)	22,128.66	2,158.85	24,086.40	201.11	
Park Commission—(g. e.)	9,303.00		9,270.11	32.89	667.47
Park Commission—(Labor)	34,100.00	3,253.71	37,309.23	44.48	
Playgrounds—(s. & w.)	3,900.00		3,876.40	23.60	
Playgrounds—(g. e.)	800.00		719.53	80.47	
Bath Houses—(s. & w.)	10,300.00	452.99	10,654.83	98.16	
Bath Houses—(g. e.)	1,200.00		1,168.03	31.97	2,322.75
Youth Activities—(s. & w.)	5,841.17	676.80	6,031.80	486.17	
Youth Activities—(g. e.)	1,120.00		1,068.41	51.59	
Ellen R. Hathaway Playground Fund	197.64	87.50		285.14	
Indemnification of Municipal Employees		400.00	400.00		
Mental Day	1,710.68	8.25	1,529.79	189.14	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves	1,950.00		1,948.36	1.64	
Court Judgements	3,500.00	1,883.28	3,483.28	1,900.00	
Municipal Contributory Retirement System	162,306.50		162,306.50		115,657.60
Rationing Board (g. e.)	900.00		702.43	197.57	
Insurance, City Auto Drivers	2,745.84		2,745.84		
Pensions, All Departments	143,372.82	1,100.00	143,623.88	848.94	
Reserve Employees in Armed Forces	2,230.00			2,230.00	
Bond Expense Sewer Loan 1946	27,600.00			27,600.00	
Sargent Field Fund—(s. & w.)	3,536.52		3,408.38	128.14	
Sargent Field Fund—(Labor)	60.00		60.00		
Sargent Field Fund—(g. e.)	1,935.51		1,935.49	.02	1,520.00
Sargent Field Fund—(n. e.)	2,167.97		2,167.97		
Municipal Airport	10,000.00		6,653.57	3,346.43	116.00
Pumping Station Repairs	11,920.00		11,920.00		
Mt. Pleasant Street	5,000.00			4,990.21	
New Equipment All Departments	81,181.70	12,250.00	89,280.75	4,150.95	
Temporary Housing Project—(Labor)	6,000.00	182.42	5,376.88	805.54	
Temporary Housing Project—(g. e.)	11,000.00	5,000.00	15,042.16	957.84	
Veterans Welcome Home Fund—(s. & w.)		100.00	66.00	34.00	
Veterans Welcome Home Fund—(g. e.)		5,200.00	4,892.61	307.39	
New Bedford Water Works—(s. & w.)	88,363.99		95,275.18	731.48	487,148.26
New Bedford Water Works—(Labor)	66,500.00	23,791.30	89,594.09	697.21	
New Bedford Water Works—(g. e.)	84,215.04	30,103.18	112,659.71	1,628.73	
Wharf Commission	1,688.82		67,372.38	1,688.82	
Cemeteries—(s. &					

Interest payable semi-annually.	Park Loans	\$777,000.00	Net Debt	\$1,604,000.00
\$1,000.00 payable annually.	Bridge Loans	100,000.00	Sinking Funds	877,000.00
1) \$1,000.00 payable annually from date.		<u>\$877,000.00</u>		<u>\$2,481,000.00</u>

SUMMARY OF OUTSTANDING DEBT

	INSIDE DEBT LIMIT	OUTSIDE DEBT LIMIT	TOTAL
Water Loans		\$436,000.00	\$436,000.00
Highway Loans		36,000.00	36,000.00
Bridge Loans		77,000.00	77,000.00
Power Loans		92,000.00	92,000.00
Power Construction Loans	\$9,000.00	150,000.00	159,000.00
Power Loans		150,000.00	150,000.00
Municipal Refractories		846,000.00	846,000.00
Emergency Storm Damage Loans		15,000.00	15,000.00
Military Defense Loans		14,000.00	14,000.00

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TABLE OF BONDED DEBT AND SINKING FUNDS

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946.

DATE OF ISSUE	DATE OF MATURITY		ORIGINAL AMOUNT OF LOAN	
			Inside Debt Limit	Outside Debt Limit
1, 1921	May	1, 1951		\$500,000.00
1, 1921	Nov.	1, 1951		.....
1, 1923	Apr.	1, 1953		200,000.00
1, 1924	Mar.	1, 1954		150,000.00
1, 1926	Nov.	1, 1956		150,000.00
1, 1927	Feb.	1, 1957		60,000.00
1, 1930	Apr.	1, 1955		200,000.00
1, 1934	Jan.	1, 1951		380,000.00
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				1,640,000.00
1, 1938	Nov.	1, 1948		180,000.00
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				180,000.00
1, 1907	Jan.	1, 1957		777,000.00
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				777,000.00
1, 1927	Feb.	1, 1947		249,000.00
1, 1927	Feb.	1, 1947		240,000.00
1, 1934	Jan.	1, 1948		380,000.00
1, 1934	Jan.	1, 1949	
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				869,000.00
1, 1920	May	1, 1950		250,000.00
1, 1921	Apr.	1, 1951		100,000.00
1, 1922	July	1, 1952		250,000.00
1, 1923	Apr.	1, 1953		.....
1, 1927	Feb.	1, 1947		150,000.00
1, 1917	Apr.	1, 1947	50,000.00	
1, 1939	Feb.	1, 1949	10,000.00	
1, 1921	Nov.	1, 1951	40,000.00	
1, 1917	Jan.	1, 1947		49,405.04
1, 1917	June	1, 1947		124,000.00
1, 1917	Aug.	1, 1947		30,000.00
1, 1918	Nov.	1, 1948		103,000.00
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			100,000.00	1,056,405.04
1, 1901	July	1, 1951		28,000.00

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

SCHEDULE OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT G

DEPARTMENT	Real Estate Outside of City Limits	Real Estate Inside of City Limits	Other Real Estate	Total Real Estate	Personal Property	Total
City Council					\$1,400.00	\$1,400.00
Clerk of Committees					1,256.00	1,256.00
Mayor					2,300.00	2,300.00
City Auditor					2,184.50	2,184.50
City Treasurer and Collector					5,500.00	5,500.00
Board of Assessors					5,144.50	5,144.50
Licensing Board					1,855.80	1,855.80
City Solicitor					4,650.00	4,650.00
City Clerk					8,000.00	8,000.00
City Messenger					850.00	850.00
Board of Appeals					140.00	140.00
Elections					6,500.00	6,500.00
Registrars of Voters					3,740.00	3,740.00
Labor Service Registrar					100.00	100.00
Police					23,051.71	265,276.71
Fire					280,382.50	685,807.50
Committee on Military and Naval Affairs	\$8,000.00	\$242,225.00		\$242,225.00	400.00	8,400.00
Inspector of Buildings		405,425.00		405,425.00	7,868.00	7,868.00
Inspector of Wires					3,858.40	3,858.40
Police Signal System		11,700.00		11,700.00	29,407.00	41,107.00
Street Lighting					730.00	730.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures					2,955.00	2,955.00
Board of Health		202,050.00		202,050.00	10,897.69	212,947.69
Dental Clinics		100,000.00		100,000.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Garbage Disposal		125,775.00		125,775.00	2,350.00	102,350.00
Highways			\$34,449.00	\$34,449.00	91,268.82	251,492.82
Forestry	3,000.00			3,000.00	4,851.68	7,851.68

Engineering				12,676.00	12,676.00
Sewers and Drains				4,053,391.00	4,053,391.00
Sewage Disposal				186,600.00	186,600.00
Bridges				109,181.00	109,181.00
Board of Public Welfare				279,650.00	279,650.00
City Infirmary					6,202.70
Old Age Assistance					19,568.55
Aid To Dependent Children					2,158.37
Soldiers' Relief					416.25
Public Schools					1,603.41
Vocational School					638,036.81
Free Public Library					62,743.25
Parks					250,000.00
Bath Houses					12,746.57
Municipal Contributory Retirement System					6,505.02
Works Projects Administration					1,144.00
War Price and Rationing Board					32,000.00
War Transportation Conservation Committee					2,500.00
New Bedford Water Works	4,022,973.47		5,000,000.00		122.00
Wharves		144,875.00		9,167,848.47	177,624.20
Cemeteries		154,300.00		154,300.00	
New Bedford Cooperating Clinic		566,405.00		566,405.00	
Civilian Defense					17,030.00
Public Buildings, Land and other Property				575.00	1,898.75
Streets and Highways		1,754,425.00		1,754,425.00	12,003.97
Sidewalks and Curbings			3,539,092.00	3,539,092.00	
Municipal Hospital Site		27,700.00	3,055,082.00	3,055,082.00	
			27,700.00	27,700.00	
	\$4,034,548.47	\$13,313,230.00	\$15,791,195.00	\$33,138,973.47	\$1,804,452.32
					\$34,943,425.79

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

SCHEDULE SHOWING INDEBTEDNESS PAYABLE

AT THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEARS 1926 THRU 1946

EXHIBIT H

Year	B O N D E D D E B T			T A X T I T L E L O A N S		
	At the Close of Year	Increase	Decrease	At the Close of Year	Increase	Decrease
1926	\$14,075,000.00					
1927	13,065,000.00	\$120,000.00	\$1,010,000.00			
1928	12,225,000.00		840,000.00			
1929	11,284,000.00		941,000.00			
1930	10,775,000.00		509,000.00			
1931	9,571,000.00		1,204,000.00			
1932	8,527,000.00		1,044,000.00			
1933	8,290,000.00		237,000.00	\$313,207.12	\$313,207.12	\$30,539.36
1934	9,252,000.00	962,000.00		282,667.76		
1935	8,681,000.00		571,000.00	400,986.22	118,318.46	85,762.77
1936	8,428,000.00		253,000.00	315,223.45		36,911.17
1937	8,154,000.00		274,000.00	278,312.28		2,001.87
1938	8,224,305.05	70,305.05		276,310.41		138,518.76
1939	8,031,000.00		193,305.05	137,791.65		
1940	7,583,000.00		448,000.00	161,572.91	23,781.26	59,026.70
1941	6,760,000.00		823,000.00	102,546.21		72,922.78
1942	5,848,000.00		912,000.00	29,623.43		
1943	4,793,000.00		1,055,000.00	165,112.80	135,489.37	165,112.80
1944	3,849,000.00		944,000.00			
1945	3,081,000.00		768,000.00			
1946	2,481,000.00		600,000.00			

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EXHIBIT I

SUMMARY OF BONDED DEBT AND SINKING FUNDS

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946

	Outstanding January 1, 1946	Payments During 1946	Outstanding December 31, 1945
Water Loans	\$504,000.00	\$68,000.00	\$436,000.00
Wharf Loans	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Highway Loans	69,000.00	33,000.00	36,000.00
Bridge Loans	777,000.00		777,000.00
School Loans	172,000.00	80,000.00	92,000.00
Sewer Construction Loans	217,000.00	52,000.00	165,000.00
Park Loans	100,000.00		100,000.00
Land and Building Loans	7,000.00	7,000.00	
Municipal Relief Loans	1,186,000.00	340,000.00	846,000.00
Emergency Storm Damage Loans..	20,000.00	5,000.00	15,000.00
Civilian Defense Loans			
Chapter 4, 1942	12,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
Civilian Defense Loans			
Chapter 75, 1943	12,000.00	4,000.00	8,000.00
TOTAL	<u>\$3,081,000.00</u>	<u>\$600,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,481,000.00</u>

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

EXHIBIT J

SCHEDULE SHOWING YEAR OF MATURITY FOR BONDED DEBT AND SINKING FUND

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946

Year	City	Welfare and Relief	Water	Total Yearly Maturities	Payable from Sinking Fund	Net Amount Payable From Revenue	Balance Due at Close of Year
1947	\$125,000.00	\$266,000.00	\$68,000.00	\$459,000.00		\$459,000.00	\$2,022,000.00
1948	81,000.00	211,000.00	68,000.00	360,000.00		360,000.00	1,622,000.00
1949	52,000.00	159,000.00	68,000.00	279,000.00		279,000.00	1,383,000.00
1950	26,000.00	110,000.00	68,000.00	204,000.00		204,000.00	1,179,000.00
1951	46,000.00	70,000.00	68,000.00	184,000.00	\$28,000.00	156,000.00	995,000.00
1952	14,000.00	30,000.00	26,000.00	70,000.00		70,000.00	925,000.00
1953	6,000.00		26,000.00	32,000.00		32,000.00	893,000.00
1954			20,000.00	20,000.00		20,000.00	873,000.00
1955			15,000.00	15,000.00		15,000.00	858,000.00
1956			7,000.00	7,000.00		7,000.00	851,000.00
1957	849,000.00		2,000.00	851,000.00	849,000.00	2,000.00	None
Total	<u>\$1,199,000.00</u>	<u>\$846,000.00</u>	<u>\$436,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,481,000.00</u>	<u>\$877,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,604,000.00</u>	

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CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1945 and DECEMBER 31, 1946

EXHIBIT K

Assets	December 31 1945	December 31 1946	Increase	Decrease
Cash	\$960,283.20	\$1,221,050.76	\$260,767.56	
Taxes Receivable	248,220.69	260,407.79	12,187.10	
Accounts Receivable	62,486.40	53,389.24		\$9,097.16
Tax Titles	95,071.78	49,169.49		45,902.29
Tax Possessions	94,042.09	95,623.85	1,581.76	
Overlay Levies Deficits	25,393.26	10,130.37		15,262.89
Sinking Funds	949,025.70	974,599.04	25,573.34	
Trust Funds	1,592,548.23	1,618,303.02	25,754.79	
Retirement Funds	554,858.91	658,767.49	103,908.58	
City Property	34,943,425.79	34,943,425.79		
Total Assets	\$39,525,356.05	\$39,884,866.84	\$429,773.13	\$70,262.34
Liabilities and Surplus				
Warrants Payable	\$194,958.07	\$379,296.80	\$184,338.73	
Due Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	26,734.93	26,734.93		
Trust Fund Income	5,476.76	5,277.02		\$199.74
Reserve Accounts	263,441.31	487,871.54	224,430.23	
Trust and Retirement Funds	2,147,407.14	2,277,070.51	129,663.37	
Special Revenue Accounts	31,734.20	56,900.79	25,166.59	
Bonded Debt	3,081,000.00	2,481,000.00		600,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$5,750,752.41	\$5,714,151.59	\$563,598.92	\$600,199.74
Surplus Account	33,774,603.64	34,170,715.25	396,111.61	
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$39,525,356.05	\$39,884,866.84	\$959,710.53	\$600,199.74

ANNUAL REPORT
CITY AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 8, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the City
Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest :

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
CITY CLERK
of the
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
Massachusetts
For the year 1946



Reynolds Printing
New Bedford, Mass.
1947

Annual Report of the City Clerk

January 31, 1947

To the City Council

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit a report on the activities of this office for the year 1946, wherein is included a financial summary, vital statistics data, and highlights of city council matters.

RECEIPTS FOR LICENSES

Ammunition, Gunpowder Registration	\$5.00
Areaway, Coalhole or Marquee	1.00
Auctioneer	36.00
Auctioneer, Special	10.00
Awning	2.00
Billiards and Pool	451.00
Booking Agent	8.00
Bowling Alleys	333.25
Carousels, Carnivals, etc.	75.00
Circus	150.00
Dance	576.00
Firearms	85.00
Fish Peddler	10.00
Fruit Peddler	160.00
Intelligence Office	6.00
Junk Collector	99.00
Junk Dealer	305.00
Pawnbroker	275.00
Petroleum	55.00
Public Entertainment	112.00
Public Vehicle	268.00
Public Vehicle Plates	136.00
Quahogs	26.00
Roller Skating	15.00
Rummage Sale	54.00
Sausage	9.00
Scallops	1.00
Sound Truck	171.00
Special Police	134.00
Special Police Badge	1.00
Sunday Sports	4.00
Taxi Driver	495.00
Taxi Driver's Badge	123.50
Theatre	230.00
Sunday Bowling	150.00
City Code	15.00
City Code Supplement	4.50

\$4,591.25

Bill of Sale	\$45.65
Building Moving	145.00
Building Obstruction	295.00
Business Certificate	192.70
Certified Copy	1,037.00
Certified Copy Mortgage, Assignment etc.	10.90
Certified Copy Original Record	1.50
Certificate	.25
Chiropodist Registration	1.50
Conditional Sale	18.00
Deposition	32.75
Marriage Intentions	3,794.00
Married Woman's Certificate	6.75
Mortgage	5,728.00
Assignment	92.75
Discharge	193.75
Marginal Discharge	700.50
Optometrist Registration	.50
Petroleum Registration	530.50
Physician Registration	3.00
Pole Location Orders	257.80
Postage	17.14
Sign Permit	238.00
Sunday Entertainments	7,498.00
Transfer	18.00
Transfer Dog	1.00
Tag Duplicate	6.70
State Fees	774.75
County Fees	802.00
Farm Mortgage	3.10
Ward Maps	2.40
List of Mortgages	1.00
Search of Records	4.00
Bulky Attachment	.50
Partial Release	12.75
Marriage Recorded	2.00
Milk Bottle Registration	1.50
Notice of Foreclosure	1.75
Declaration of Trust	1.00
Amendment to Declaration of Trust	2.00
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	\$22,475.30

Paid to City Treasurer for Bristol County:

For Dog Licenses	\$8,808.20
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For Resident Citizen Fishing Licenses	\$2,325.75
For Resident Citizen Hunting Licenses	1,435.00
For Resident Citizen Sporting Licenses	1,554.00
For Resident Citizen Minor and Female Fishing Licenses	396.00

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For Resident Citizen Minor Trapping Licenses	2.00	
For Resident Citizen Trapping Licenses	35.00	
For Non-resident Three-day Fishing Licenses	20.00	
For Non-resident Minor Fishing Licenses	2.00	
For Non-resident Citizen Fishing Licenses	10.00	
For Non-resident Citizen Hunting Licenses	10.00	
For Non-resident Military or Naval Service Sporting Licenses	1.75	
Duplicate Licenses	11.50	
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		\$5,803.00

SUMMARY FOR 1946

Licenses	\$4,591.25	
Fees	22,475.39	
Dog Licenses (County)	8,808.20	
Fish and Game Licenses (State)	5,803.00	
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		\$41,677.84

TABLE OF RECEIPTS FOR LAST TEN YEARS

1937	\$27,062.48
1938	25,464.10
1939	26,363.40
1940	29,852.45
1941	29,913.13
1942	29,603.82
1943	26,111.59
1944	28,238.99
1945	31,877.63
1946	41,677.84

OPERATING COSTS

Budget Appropriation		\$23,350.01
<i>Expended:</i>		
Salaries and Wages	\$21,551.05	
General Expenses	1,623.42	
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Total Expenditures		23,174.47
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Unexpended Balance		\$175.54
Expenditures for 1946	\$23,174.47	
Expenditures for 1945	20,690.06	
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		*\$2,484.41

*This increase includes \$2,200 Cost of Living Adjustment.

FINANCIAL

Our financial receipts for the year 1946 represented an all time high in the past 11 years. In actual dollars and cents received we show approximately \$10,000.00 in excess of that received in 1945. An analysis shows outstanding gains in fees paid for mortgages, marriage licenses, Sunday licenses and hunting and fishing licenses.

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VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTH INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR 1946

Total number of births recorded in 1946 (including 77 stillbirths)		2709
Males	1388	
Females	1321	
Total number of births recorded in 1945		2132
Increase 1946 from 1945		577
Number of triplet births recorded	0	
Number of twin births recorded	31	
Number of stillbirths recorded	77	
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents elsewhere in Massachusetts		375
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents out of state		10
Children born elsewhere in Massachusetts, residence of parents in New Bedford		586
Children born out of state, residence of parents in New Bedford		9
Children born in New Bedford, residence of parents in New Bedford		1729
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		2709

MARRIAGE DATA — 1946

Marriage Intentions—1945		1184
Marriage Intentions—1946		1897
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Increase		713
Marriages—1945		1224
Marriages—1946		2032
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Increase		808
Marriages of out of state residents, both parties		21
Number of Five Day Waivers	144 (Decrease of 88)	
Number of males under 21	179 (Increase of 46)	
Number of females under 18	58 (Increase of 23)	
Youngest person married (female)	15 years	
Oldest Person married (male)	81 years	

DEATH DATA—1946

Total number of deaths recorded	1477
Males	790
Females	687
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	1477
Stillbirths	77
Deaths of New Bedford residents reported from out of the city	160

Statistics of 1477 deaths in New Bedford

Under 5 years of age	166
5 to 10 years of age	15
11 to 20 years of age	21
21 to 30 years of age	24
31 to 40 years of age	45
41 to 50 years of age	88
51 to 60 years of age	241
61 to 70 years of age	337
71 to 80 years of age	351
81 to 90 years of age	172
Over 90 years of age	17
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	1477
Born in New Bedford	371
Other parts of the United States	365
Canada	175
England	176
Portugal	216
Other foreign countries	171
Unknown	3
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	1477
Deaths due to Tuberculosis	48
Deaths due to Cancer	180
Deaths due to Tumor	6

Of the 304 medical examiner's certificates of death, 11 were deaths in which motor vehicles played a part: 6 were from accidental gas poisoning; 13 were suicides and the remaining 274 were from other causes.

The oldest person to die in New Bedford was 116.

NUMBER OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS
RECORDED IN NEW BEDFORD

Year	Births	Marriages	Deaths
1920	3676	1752	1974
1921	3881	1378	1650
1922	3552	1343	1797
1923	3488	1416	1838
1924	3401	1170	1602
1925	3191	1220	1621
1926	2974	1067	1733
1927	2616	1004	1526
1928	2573	806	1593
1929	2199	1038	1579
1930	2152	858	1434
1931	1987	819	1531
1932	1853	666	1427
1933	1778	937	1408
1934	1908	1101	1457
1935	1856	985	1448
1936	1870	1196	1510
1937	1807	1181	1478
1938	1844	1005	1457
1939	1738	1300	1514
1940	1841	1477	1465
1941	1978	1744	1499
1942	2426	1586	1490
1943	2331	1218	1572
1944	2085	1106	1464
1945	2132	1221	1499
1946	2709	2032	1477

CITY COUNCIL

Councillor William B. Perry Jr. was elected President of the City Council for the year 1946. The council held 20 regular meetings and 13 special meetings during the year. The annual budget was received from Mayor Arthur N. Harriman on February 14, 1946, whereupon the city council referred it to itself as a quasi-committee of the whole. No action was taken within the time allowed by law, and the budget therefore became effective as submitted by the Mayor on March 28, 1946.

ACCEPTANCE OF LEGISLATIVE ACTS

On June 25, 1946, the city council accepted Chapter 561 of the Acts of 1946 entitled "An Act Temporarily Relaxing the Terms of Ordinances or By-Laws Restricting the Use and Occupation of Two and One-Half Story Houses, So-called" which was approved by Mayor Harriman on June 27, 1946.

On June 27, 1946, the city council accepted Section 3 of Chapter 207 of the Acts of 1946 entitled "An Act Relative to the Licensed Operation on The Lord's Day of Bowling Alleys," which was approved by the Mayor on July 1, 1946.

On December 12, 1946, the city council accepted Chapter 559 of the Acts of 1946 entitled "An Act Authorizing Increases of the Amounts of Pensions Payable to Certain Former Public Employees Who Have Retired," which was approved by the Mayor on December 21, 1946.

At the Biennial State Election held on November 5, 1946, the following question was on the ballot, — "Shall section fifty-eight B of Chapter forty-eight of the General Laws, providing for a forty-eight hour week for permanent members of fire departments be accepted?" The vote was Yes 20,568; No 15,207; Blanks 6,170.

BOARD OF SURVEY

This board, which consists of the mayor and members of the city council under authority of Chapter 271 of the Acts of 1914, held nine meetings during the year 1946.

ELECTIONS

During the year 1946 two elections were held, namely the State Primaries on June 18, 1946, and the Biennial State Election on November 5, 1946.

STATE PRIMARIES

The date for holding the State Primaries was advanced by virtue of Chapter 140 of the Acts of 1946. This was due to wartime conditions and the desire of the Legislature to permit absentee voting by persons in the armed services. Of 52,744 citizens eligible to vote 11,762 participated in the primaries, — that is, approximately 22%.

BIENNIAL STATE ELECTION

At the Biennial State Election held on November 5, 1946, a total vote of 41,945 was cast out of an enrollment of 53,339. It will be seen that approximately 78½% of the registered voters participated in this election.

GENERAL

The audit of the accounts of the City of New Bedford for the period from January 1, 1945 to April 6, 1946 made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws by the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation was submitted to the city council on August 15, 1946 and is on file in the records of the city council meeting of that date.

The office staff has continued to treat the public courteously and efficiently at all times, and has been extremely helpful in giving information on matters not strictly within

the duties of this office. At this time it is proper to extend my appreciation to them in establishing the splendid reputation which we have undoubtedly merited.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 13, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the city documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk .

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
LAW DEPARTMENT
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD



FOR THE YEAR

1946

Reynolds Printing
1947

October 20, 1947

To the City Council:

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Law Department for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1946 is submitted herewith in accordance with Chapter 3, Section 44 of the City Code.

During the year 1946 this department rendered 45 formal written opinions and in addition thereto many informal opinions were given to the Mayor and various department heads.

All contracts and leases entered into by the city annually were examined and approved by this department. Fifty-nine deeds were drawn for the sale of lots of land at the West Rodney French Boulevard development and the necessary legal work and instruments of transfer were drawn in connection with the conveyance of Sargent Field to the City of New Bedford.

The suit brought by the United States Government against the City arising out of the WPA toy projects in which the government claimed \$4,297.27, plus interest and costs, was settled for \$1,883.28.

A number of claims against the City have been handled including more than 100 workmen's compensation cases.

Negotiations for a temporary revocable permit for the Municipal Airport from the United States Navy Department were completed and preliminary arrangements between proposed tenants and the City were begun.

There is attached hereto a list of the suits which were pending in favor of and against the City of New Bedford December 31, 1946,—

SUITS PENDING IN FAVOR OF CITY

Defendant	Facts	Ad damnum
Rose Rego	Motor Tort Action	\$5,000
Harry B. Ward	Motor Tort Action	1,000

SUITS PENDING AGAINST THE CITY

Cecelia M. Adshead	Alleged Defect in Way	\$1,000
Albert Araujo	Motor Tort Action	3,000
City of Chelsea	Welfare Settlement	300
John K. Doyle	Motor Tort Action	10,000
Farmers Dairy	Land Damages	—
Jacob Genensky	Trustee Writ	121.92
Grace K. Griffin	Hurricane Damage	5,000
Manual Justley	Alleged Defect in Way	2,000
Helen Lech	Land Damages	—
Joseph Lech	Land Damages	—
Violet M. Lowther	Alleged Defect in Way	1,000
Palmeida Mascarenhas	Alleged Defect in Way	5,000
Joseph J. and Maria D. Medeiros	Land Damages	—
Blanche Menard	Alleged Defect in Way	5,000
Timothy J. Moriarty	Action of Contract	100
N. A. Textile Corp.	Action in Equity	25,000
Anthony Nunes	Motor Tort Action	300
Marie S. Pelletier	Alleged Defect in Way	1,000
Edgar N. Prevost	Action of Contract	—
Carolyn C. Read	Alleged Defect in Way	1,000
Gertrude Steadman	Alleged Defect in Way	1,500
John Szklarski	Land Damages	—
Valentine Teixeira	Action of Tort	10,000
Fred Thomas	Motor Tort Action	10,000
Leonide Trudelle	Action of Contract	—
Anne Vercellone	Motor Tort Action	2,000
Hyman Waxler	Motor Tort Action	250

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS M. QUINN,

City Solicitor

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 23, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the City
Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CITY TREASURER
FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31
1946



Reynolds Printing
New Bedford, Mass.
1947

Office of the City Treasurer,

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 31, 1946.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the annual report of this department for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. FREITAS,

City Treasurer.

TREASURER'S REPORT

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CITY TREASURER AND COLLECTOR

EXPENDITURES 1946

SALARIES AND WAGES	\$31,275.84
COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT	3,196.16
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	\$34,472.00

Treasurer and Collector	\$4,000.00
Cashier	2,660.50
Deputy Collector	2,399.68
Paymaster	2,243.17
Ass't. Paymaster	1,930.17
Disbursing Officer	2,138.83
Ass't Disbursing Officer	1,930.17
Senior Clerks (5)	7,760.00
Principal Clerk	1,617.17
Junior Clerks (2)	2,399.62
Junior Clerk (1)	1,013.10
Temporary Clerks (6)	1,151.70

Total	31,244.11
Cost-of-Living Adjustment	3,196.16

	34,440.27
Transferred to Interest acc't.	5.00

	34,445.27
Unexpended balance	26.73

\$34,472.00

CITY TREASURER AND COLLECTOR

EXPENDITURES 1946

GENERAL EXPENSES	\$7,025.00
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Advertising and Recording	\$474.16
Bonding and Insurance	1,152.54
Expense of Temporary Loan Notes	300.00
Express	6.80
Machine Contract and Repairs	263.82
Postage	1,775.19
Printing and Binding	640.65
Stationery and Supplies	1,849.06
Telephone	94.63
All Other	62.82

	\$6,619.67
Refund	7.10

Total	6,612.57
Unexpended balance	412.43

\$7,025.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR FISCAL YEAR 1946

Balance in Treasury January 1, 1946		
Revenue Cash	\$943,547.60	
Non-Revenue Cash	16,610.60	
	<hr/>	\$960,158.20
Receipts During 1946		
Revenue Cash	10,935,956.03	
Non-Revenue Cash	<hr/>	
		10,935,956.03
		<hr/>
		\$11,896,114.23
Balance in Treasury December 31, 1946		
Revenue Cash	\$1,209,662.63	
Non-Revenue Cash	11,263.13	
	<hr/>	\$1,220,925.76
Cash Disbursements During 1946		
Revenue Cash	10,669,841.00	
Non-Revenue Cash	5,347.47	
	<hr/>	\$10,675,188.47
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		\$11,896,114.23

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COLLECTOR OF TAXES

New Bedford, Mass.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:

Gentlemen:

In compliance with the ordinances requiring that the annual report of the Collector of Taxes shall be made to the City Council annually in January, I submit herewith statement of all collections made during the fiscal year ending December 31, 1946, together with a statement of taxes remaining unpaid.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. FREITAS,

Collector of Taxes.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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STATEMENT OF TAX WARRANTS

DR.	1946	1945	1944
Uncollected Balance			
December 31, 1945.....		\$245,298.26	\$1,162.65
1946 Assessors' Warrant with additions as of Dec. 31, 1946			
Real Estate.....	\$3,874,107.82		
Personal	582,366.97		
Polls	82,104.00	58.00	
Excise	114,290.73	1,421.47	
Boat Excise	4,471.26		
Sewers	217.30		
Committed Interest	12.67		
Refunds	2,460.74	833.10	546.00
	<u>\$4,660,031.49</u>	<u>\$247,610.83</u>	<u>\$1,708.65</u>
Transferred to Tax Title Account:			
Real Estate \$7,019.56)			
Sewers 130.38)			
Committed Interest 7.60)	7,157.54		
	<u>\$4,652,873.95</u>	<u>\$247,610.83</u>	<u>\$1,708.65</u>

STATEMENT OF TAX COLLECTIONS

CR.	1946	1945	1944
COLLECTIONS:			
Real Estate	\$3,609,685.37	\$222,210.49	\$99.68
Personal	576,842.40	3,857.80	
Polls	44,936.00	5,116.00	
Excise	108,260.11	2,259.37	3.88
Boat Excise	3,150.23	331.41	
Sewers	86.92		
Committed Interest	5.07		
	<u>\$4,342,966.10</u>	<u>\$233,775.07</u>	<u>\$103.56</u>
ABATEMENTS:			
Real Estate	24,429.06	5,505.35	652.96
Personal	2,018.18	456.23	766.55
Polls	27,032.00	256.00	98.00
Excise	2,728.10	12.22	
Boat Excise	408.99	491.49	87.58
	<u>\$4,399,582.43</u>	<u>\$240,496.36</u>	<u>\$1,708.65</u>
Balance Uncollected			
December 31, 1946	253,291.52	7,114.47	
	<u>\$4,652,873.95</u>	<u>\$247,610.83</u>	<u>\$1,708.65</u>

TRUST FUNDS

New Bedford, Mass.

December 31, 1946.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:

The trustees of bequests, gifts and trust funds of the City of New Bedford herewith submit the statement of the City Treasurer as their Annual Report.

MARY L. SOARES

ALAN J. CAMPBELL

HARRY C. TRIPP

Trustees.

TRUST FUNDS

New Bedford, Mass.

December 31, 1946.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:

As Treasurer of Bequest, Gifts and Trust Funds of the City of New Bedford, I respectfully submit the Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1946 of the income received from said funds, together with a list of all securities in my custody.

WILLIAM R. FREITAS

City Treasurer.

TRUST FUND

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TRUST FUNDS

Kempton Fund, Library	\$250,000.00
Sylvia Ann Howland Educational and Library Fund	100,000.00
George O. Crocker Library Fund	10,000.00
Charles L. Wood, Library Fund	2,000.00
Oliver Crocker, Library Fund	1,000.00
George Howland Jr., Library Fund	1,600.00
James B. Congdon, Library Fund	500.00
Jonathan Bourne, School Fund	1,000.00
Charles W. Morgan, Library Fund	1,000.00
Ellen B. Hathaway, Playground Fund	5,000.00
Elizabeth B. Mackie, Library Fund	1,000.00
Frederick S. Allen, Library Fund	1,000.00
Patty Wilcox, Library Fund	5,000.00
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	\$379,100.00

THE KEMPTON FUND, THE GIFT OF SARAH E. POTTER

	Rate	Value	Income
First Natl. Bank of Boston 660 sh.		\$31,601.00	\$1,320.00
Bristol County Trust Co. 20 sh.		1,020.00	60.00
Natl. Shawmut Bank of Boston 783 sh.		20,822.25	783.00
Union Mkt. Natl Bank of Watertown 594 sh.		14,490.00	618.75
Boston & Maine R.R. 1st Mtge. 4%		10,000.00	400.00
Boston & Maine R.R. Income Mtge. "A" 4½		10,000.00	450.00
Northern Pacific Ry. Co. 4		14,000.00	560.00
U. S. Savings "G" 2½		10,000.00	250.00
Newton Waltham Bank & Trust Company 340 sh.		17,020.00	816.00
Boston Terminal Co. 3½		5,000.00	
Southern Cal. Edison Co. Ltd. 3		3,000.00	90.00
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. 4		5,000.00	200.00
Pennsylvania R.R. Co. "D" 4¾		5,000.00	212.50
N.B. Five Cents Svgs. Bank Deposit 2		671.93	13.42
N.B. Inst. for Savings Deposit 1½		754.96	11.32
Louisville & Nashville R.R. Co. 3¾		10,000.00	337.50
N.Y.N.H. & H. R.R. Co. 4		20,000.00	800.00
N.Y.N.H. & H. R.R. Co. 4		5,000.00	200.00
Louisville & Nashville R. R. 4		2,000.00	80.00
The Delaware & Hudson Co. 4		4,500.00	180.00
U. S. Savings "G" 2½		50,000.00	1,250.00
U. S. Savings "G" 2½		500.00	12.50
Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. "K" 3		20,000.00	600.00
U. S. Savings "G" 2½		3,100.00	77.50
		<hr/> \$263,480.14	<hr/> \$9,322.49

SYLVIA ANN HOWLAND
EDUCATIONAL AND LIBRARY FUND

	Rate	Value	Income
First Natl. Bank of Boston 120 sh.		\$4,928.75	\$240.00
Providence Natl. Bank 48 sh.		3,822.00	144.00
Great Northern Ry. Co. Called @ 105 & Int. (19000)			855.00-1946
	4½		855.00-1947
Cambria & Clearfield Ry. Co. 4		14,000.00	560.00
Natl. Bank of Commerce & Trust Co. 20 sh.		1,640.00	60.00
U. S. Savings G 2½		39,000.00	975.00
N.B. Inst. for Savings Deposit 1½		1,427.00	21.40
N.B. Five Cent Svgs. Bank Deposit 2		583.37	11.66
U. S. Savings G 2½		11,000.00	275.00
Safe Dep. Natl. Bank Cash		19,950.00	
		<hr/> \$96,351.12	<hr/> \$3,997.06

GEORGE O. CROCKER LIBRARY FUND

N.B. Institution For Svgs.	\$328.40	4.92
N. B. Five Cents Svgs. Bank	10,668.75	176.67
	<hr/> \$10,997.15	<hr/> \$181.59

TRUST FUND

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CHARLES L. WOOD LIBRARY FUND

	Rate	Value	Income
N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	\$2,000.00	\$30.00

OLIVER CROCKER LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	1,000.00	15.00
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GEORGE HOWLAND JR. LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	1,600.00	24.00
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CHARLES W. MORGAN, LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	1,000.00	15.00
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JAMES B. CONGDON LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	500.00	7.50
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JONATHAN BOURNE SCHOOL FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	1,000.00	15.00
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ELLEN R. HATHAWAY PLAYGROUND FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	2,500.00	37.50
N. B. Five Cents Savings Bank	2 %	2,500.00	50.00

ELIZABETH B. MACKIE LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Inst. for Savings	1½%	1,000.00	15.00
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FREDERICK S. ALLEN LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Five Cents Savings Bank		1,000.00	
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PATTY WILCOX LIBRARY FUND

N. B. Five Cents Savings Bank		5,000.00	
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SPECIAL INVESTMENT FUND — CHAP. 480, Act 1924

N. B. Five Cents Savings Bank	1½%	\$127,329.31	\$2,559.31
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POST WAR MUNICIPAL ACTIVITIES FUND

	Rate	Value	Income
U. S. Treasury Notes "B"	1¼%	\$196,000.00	\$2,450.00
N.B. Five Cents Svg. Bank Int. on deposits			92.58
U. S. Treas. Ctf. E	7⁄8%	165,000.00	721.87
U. S. Savings F		114,850.00	
U. S. Treas. Ctf. E			
(250,000 matured 6/1/46)	7⁄8		1,093.80
			<hr/> \$4,358.25
N. B. Five Cents Svgs. Bank			
Deposit a/c Purchase			11.00
			<hr/> 4,369.25
N. B. Five Cents Svgs. Bank			
withdrawn a/c Purchase			29.01
		<hr/> \$475,850.00	<hr/> \$4,340.24

December 31, 1946.

New Bedford, Mass.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:

As Treasurer of the Charles S. Paisler, Educational Fund, I submit herewith the following twenty ninth Annual Report.

The Principal of the Charles S. Paisler Educational Fund is \$30,115.58. The income is to be divided as per provisions of the will and acceptance of trust as follows:

One-third to Mary V. King for life and two-thirds to the City of New Bedford, Charles S. Paisler Educational Fund.

	Rate	Principal	Income
N.B. Five Cents Savings Bank	2%	\$17,115.58	\$342.30
Acushnet Co-Operative Bank	3	2,000.00	60.00
N. B. Co-Operative Bank	3	2,000.00	60.00
U. S. Savings G	2½	9,000.00	225.00
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		\$30,115.58	\$687.30

PAYMENTS

City of New Bedford, Charles S. Paisler	
Educational Fund	\$458.20
Mary V. King	229.10
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	\$687.30

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. FREITAS,

City Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE SINKING FUNDS

City of New Bedford, Mass.

December 31, 1946.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds
of the City of New Bedford:

Gentlemen:

Herewith find a statement of my accounts as Treasurer of the Sinking Funds for the year 1946, together with a list of securities in the fund.

DR.

Par Value Sinking Funds close of 1945	\$976,825.70
Net Income 1946	25,573.34
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	\$1,002,399.04

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Par Value Sinking Funds	\$1,002,399.04
Investments close of 1946	

INVESTMENTS

	Shares	Cost
Machinists National Bank	50	\$12,200.00
First National Bank of Boston	600	29,750.00
Hartford Natl. Bank & Trust Co.	450	14,400.00
Natl. Rockland Bank of Boston	450	33,344.00
Natl. Shawmut Bank of Boston	600	13,462.50
Acushnet Co-Operative Bank	20	4,000.00
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	2,170	\$107,156.50

SINKING FUND

SINKING FUND INVESTMENTS

C Sept. 15, 1947	U.S. Treas. Notes A - 47	1½	\$50,000.00	
C Sept. 15, 1947	U.S. Treas. Notes A - 47	1½	40,000.00	
C Sept. 15, 1947	U.S. Treas. Notes C - 47	1¼	20,000.00	
C Sept. 15, 1947	U.S. Treas. Notes C - 47	1¼	100,000.00	
C Mar. 15, 1947	U.S. Treas. Notes B - 47	1¼	25,000.00	
R Jan. 1, 1947	U.S. Treas. Sav. Notes C		40,000.00	\$275,000.00
C Sept. 15, 1948	U.S. Treas. Notes A - 48	1½	50,000.00	50,000.00
R July 1, 1951	City of New Bedford	3½	19,000.00	19,000.00
R Aug. 1, 1953	U.S. Savings G	2½	10,000.00	
R Nov. 1, 1953	U.S. Savings G	2½	10,000.00	20,000.00
R June 1, 1954	U.S. Savings G	2½	20,000.00	
R Aug. 1, 1954	U.S. Savings G	2½	10,000.00	30,000.00
R Apr. 1, 1955	U.S. Savings G	2½	10,000.00	
R June 1, 1955	U.S. Savings G	2½	20,000.00	
R Nov. 1, 1955	U.S. Savings G	2½	70,000.00	100,000.00
R Feb. 1, 1956	U.S. Savings F		30,000.00	
R June 1, 1956	U.S. Savings G	2½	25,000.00	
R Nov. 1, 1956	U.S. Savings G	2½	33,000.00	
R Nov. 1, 1956	U.S. Savings F		26,000.00	114,000.00
R Jan. 1, 1957	City of New Bedford	4	64,000.00	
R May 1, 1957	U.S. Savings G	2½	50,000.00	
R Oct. 1, 1957	U.S. Savings F		50,000.00	164,000.00
R Jan. 1, 1958	U.S. Savings G	2½	10,000.00	
R Apr. 1, 1958	U.S. Savings F (at cost)		89,540.00	99,540.00
			Bonds	\$871,540.00
			Bank Shares	107,156.50
			Cash	23,702.54
				<hr/>
				\$1,002,399.04

STATEMENT OF CONDITIONS OF THE VARIOUS
SINKING FUNDS

No.	Fund	Payable	Total
39	\$28,000.00 Park Bonds	July 1, 1951	\$40,937.87
54	72,000.00 Park Bridge Approach	Jan. 1, 1957	84,937.88
53	777,000.00 Bridge Bonds	Jan. 1, 1957	876,523.29
			<hr/>
			\$1,002,399.04

DIVISION OF SINKING FUND

Park Loans	\$40,937.87
Bridge Loans	876,523.29
Park Bridge Approach Loans	84,937.88
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	\$1,002,399.04

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. FREITAS

City Treasurer and
Treasurer of the Sinking Fund

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND

New Bedford, Mass.

December 31, 1946.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:
Gentlemen:

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City of New Bedford held this date.

It was voted:—To adopt the foregoing statements of the Treasurer of the Sinking Funds of the City of New Bedford required by the Statutes of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to be made annually to the City Council.

Yours respectfully,

CHARLES S. KELLY, JR.

ALBERT P. CUNNINGHAM

RAYMOND McLEOD

Commissioners of the Sinking Funds.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SOLDIERS' RELIEF OFFICE

New Bedford, Mass.,

January 3, 1947

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford:
Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith, find the annual report for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. FREITAS,

City Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946

SOLDIERS' RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

Salaries and Wages:		\$5,503.66
Clerk-Agent	\$2,171.84	
Two Clerks	3,331.82	
General Expenses		634.13
Motor Maintenance	429.60	
Postage & Telephone	70.95	
Postage	45.00	
Telephone	25.95	
Printing & Stationery	85.20	
Office Supplies	48.38	
Total Soldiers' Relief Administration		<hr/> \$6,137.79

SOLDIERS' RELIEF AID:

Cash Grants	\$28,212.02	
Clothing & Furnishing	388.97	
Shoes	388.97	
Fuel		1,574.18
Coal	906.00	
Coal Del.	352.18	
Wood	316.00	
Hospital		6,318.78
Medical & Surgical		3,504.68
Medicine	1,927.47	
Physician	948.86	
Dentist	85.00	
Optician	543.35	
Total Soldiers' Relief Aid		<hr/> \$39,998.63
Total Soldiers' Relief Administration & Aid		<hr/> \$46,136.42

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENDITURES OF SOLDIERS' RELIEF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING 1946 ADMINISTRATION AID

1946 Mo.	Salaries and Wages	Motor Main- tenance	Postage and Telephone	Printing and Stationery	Office Supplies	TOTAL	Cash Grants	Clothing and Furnishing	Fuel	Hospital	Medical and Surgical	TOTAL	GRAND TOTAL
Jan.	360.33	7.80	1.80	16.45	2.85	389.23	1,676.28	10.00	28.00	395.90	91.69	2,201.87	2,591.10
Feb.	376.00	8.16	16.20	6.00	1.00	407.36	1,741.91	22.00	210.41	532.50	361.18	2,868.00	3,275.36
Mar.	387.52	57.94	1.80	10.15	13.28	470.69	2,348.48	57.00	98.05	439.50	303.67	3,246.70	3,717.39
Apr.	548.80	34.47	4.10	.....	.....	587.37	2,787.15	17.00	70.25	324.65	219.89	3,418.94	4,006.31
May	527.60	33.21	3.10	.....	2.75	566.66	2,175.42	3.00	30.00	350.15	282.97	2,841.54	3,408.20
June	422.08	11.95	16.55	6.00	.....	456.58	2,017.93	55.00	22.00	877.70	299.89	3,272.52	3,729.10
July	422.08	19.91	.85	24.10	.....	466.94	2,222.88	11.97	14.00	337.05	348.26	2,934.16	3,401.10
Aug.	527.60	37.69	3.00	.....	6.35	574.64	2,033.68	.....	922.00	436.70	274.06	3,666.44	4,241.08
Sept.	422.08	18.15	3.50	.....	11.75	455.48	2,385.32	87.00	18.00	250.27	197.28	2,937.87	3,393.35
Oct.	527.60	22.96	15.85	6.00	7.50	579.91	2,413.96	18.00	14.00	634.87	361.39	3,442.22	4,022.13
Nov.	422.08	69.28	1.30	16.50	1.40	510.56	2,857.13	17.00	63.60	722.27	283.16	3,948.16	4,458.72
Dec.	559.89	108.08	2.90	.....	1.50	672.37	3,551.88	91.00	83.87	1,017.22	476.24	5,220.21	5,892.58
	5,503.66	429.60	70.95	85.20	48.38	6,137.79	28,212.02	388.97	1,574.18	6,318.78	3,504.68	39,998.63	46,136.42

COMMENTS

\$46,136.42	Soldiers' Relief Expenditures for 1946
40,815.69	Soldiers' Relief Expenditures for 1945
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5,320.73	Increase in Amount Expended than in 1945
\$35,813.65	Amount appropriated for Soldiers' Relief Aid 1946
4,200.00	Transfer from War Allowance Account
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40,013.65	Appropriation after transfer
6,396.13	Amount appropriated for Administration
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46,409.78	Total appropriation for Administration and Aid
46,136.42	Administration and Aid Expenditures for 1946
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\$273.36	Balance from Appropriation

RECIPIENTS BY WARS

Civil War	4
Spanish War	4
World War I	90
World War II	140
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Total Recipients by Wars for 1946	238

\$627.92 received from various cases during the year to refund and reimburse the City of New Bedford.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Months 1946	Cases	No. Persons	Single
January	78	118	44
February	86	99	55
March	85	120	38
April	86	117	37
May	82	124	30
June	88	119	51
July	90	114	53
August	89	112	51
September	86	127	51
October	85	104	52
November	100	136	58
December	103	123	61
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	1058	1413	581
Average No.	88	117	48

\$39,998.63 Soldiers' Relief Aid Expenditures for cases in 1946

454.52 Average amount of Soldiers' Relief Aid per case a Year

37.87 Average amount of Aid per case a month

8.74 Average amount of Aid per case a week

The average is based on the following:

Cash, Medicine, shoes, fuel, Physician, Dentist, Optician and Hospital.

165 Average person aided a month for twelve consecutive months.

An average of 1.87 persons per case in 1946.

An average of \$4.67 per person a week.

STATE AID

Amount Appropriated for 1946		\$3,560.00
Months	Cases	Expenditures
January	30	\$270.00
February	31	270.00
March	30	280.00
April	28	270.00
May	26	260.00
June	26	260.00
July	30	300.00
August	29	290.00
September	29	290.00
October	29	290.00
November	29	290.00
December	29	290.00
Total Expenditures		\$3,370.00
Balance from Appropriation		\$190.00

MILITARY AID

Amount appropriated for 1946		\$3,626.60
Months	Cases	Expenditures
January	8	\$230.00
February	7	330.00
March	7	295.00
April	6	245.00
May	4	185.00
June	4	235.00
July	4	245.00
August	3	170.00
September	3	135.00
October	4	185.00
November	5	270.00
December	6	330.00
Total Expenditures		2,855.00
Balance from Appropriation		\$771.60

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

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SOLDIERS' BURIALS

Amount Appropriated for 1946		\$1,074.34
Months	Cases	Expenditures
February	2	\$164.24
April	2	150.00
May	1	100.00
October	1	100.00
Total Expenditures		514.24
Balance from appropriation		\$560.10

WAR ALLOWANCE

Amount appropriated for 1946		\$10,261.60
Transfer to various Dept.		6,200.00
Total appropriated after transfer		4,061.60
Months	Cases	Expenditures
January	19	\$649.50
February	7	225.50
March	8	547.50
April	4	172.00
May	6	215.00
June	4	124.50
July	5	305.00
August	4	140.00
September	1	50.00
October	4	272.75
November	4	220.00
December	5	249.00
Total Expenditures		3,170.75
Balance from appropriation		\$890.85

ANNUAL REPORT

City Treasurer for the year
ending December 31, 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL

March 27, 1947

Received and placed on file and ordered printed in the City
Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CHIEF
OF THE
FIRE DEPARTMENT

NEW BEDFORD, MASS.



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946

EDWARD F. DAHILL, Chief of Department

EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

HON. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT -

EDWARD F. DAHILL

Office, Station No. 2

DEPUTY CHIEF

MILTON C. ANDREWS

Headquarters, Station No. 2

FIRST DISTRICT CHIEF

ALBERT P. BOCHMAN

Headquarters, Station No. 10

SECOND DISTRICT CHIEF

HERBERT H. STONE

Headquarters, Station No. 4

THIRD DISTRICT CHIEF

HENRY J. FISHER

Headquarters, Station No. 2

HEAD CLERK

FRANCIS T. MACEDO

Office, Station No. 2

SENIOR CLERK

CHARLES A. COYNE

Office, Station No. 2

CHIEF INSPECTOR

FREDERICK G. GIFFORD

Office, Station No. 2

CHIEF'S CHAUFFEUR

CHARLES J. CALNAN, JR.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT FIRE ALARM

ELMER H. JAMES

Appointed June 1, 1946

FIRE ALARM AND TELEPHONE OPERATORS

LIEUT. THOMAS R. F. WHOLLEY

Appointed June 15, 1924

LIEUT. JOSEPH W. LAJEUNESSE

Appointed May 26, 1935

TELEPHONE OPERATOR AND SIGNALMEN

MILTON A. BAYLIES

Appointed November 21, 1921

GEORGE SHERRATT

Appointed April 13, 1945

CLIFFORD J. SNELL

Appointed July 22, 1945

JOHN W. ETCHELLS, JR.

Appointed July 22, 1945

Vacancy

MASTER MECHANIC

PHILIP J. PREVOST

Appointed March 10, 1946

ASSISTANT MASTER MECHANIC

Vacancy

BATTERY MAN

RAIMUND F. O'BRIEN

Appointed December 3, 1920

FIREMAN-MECHANICS

Vacancy

ALFRED S. BESSETTE

Appointed July 29, 1945

PENSIONERS

DAVID A. COBB, seriously injured May 27, 1915.

GEORGE H. COOK, Captain of Hose Co. No. 2, joined the department March 5, 1884, placed on pension roll Jan. 1, 1923.

MANUEL A. MENDOZA, Hoseman, Hose Co. No. 4, joined the department Nov. 26, 1922, placed on pension roll March 26, 1926.

WILLIAM R. MOORE, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 3, joined the department April 28, 1892, placed on pension roll March 29, 1931.

HENRY L. BURDING, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 6, joined the department Sept. 11, 1906, placed on pension roll Aug. 7, 1932.

EDWARD MARSH, Hoseman, Hose Co. No. 2, joined the department May 1, 1921, placed on pension roll Dec. 11, 1932.

JOSEPH ROBINSON, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 2, joined the department Nov. 23, 1920, placed on pension roll Jan. 1, 1933.

HENRY LEEMING, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 7, joined the department March 1, 1901, placed on pension roll Jan. 21, 1934.

JOHN T. CONWAY, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 3, joined the department Dec. 18, 1894, placed on pension roll Sept. 16, 1934.

JOHN HUBBARD, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 4, joined the department Sept. 16, 1917, placed on pension roll Oct. 27, 1934.

JOHN F. PARKER, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 9, joined the department Dec. 6, 1886, placed on pension roll April 15, 1936.

JAMES V. BRENNAN, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 4, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll Aug. 25, 1937.

ALBERT J. ABRAIN, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 10, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll Oct. 24, 1937.

- STEPHEN F. MILLER, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 9, joined the department Dec. 1, 1917, placed on pension roll Dec. 26, 1937.
- MRS. HELEN T. POLLOCK, widow of Captain Edward A. Pollock, who died as a result of fire duty Oct. 26, 1936, was granted an annuity by the City Council, effective Feb. 27, 1937.
- EDWARD H. COGGESHALL, Captain, Engine Co. No. 7, joined the department Sept. 1, 1890, pensioned July 1, 1938.
- JOHN E. JOSEPH, Lieutenant, Engine Co. No. 4, joined the department Dec. 30, 1895, pensioned July 1, 1938.
- GEORGE H. BAYLIES, Mechanician, Repair Branch, joined the department Nov. 1, 1891, pensioned July 30, 1938.
- CHARLES E. GREENE, Captain, Truck Co. No. 3, joined the department Dec. 15, 1892, pensioned Dec. 11, 1938.
- FRANK H. VINCENT, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 6, joined the department Oct. 26, 1903, pensioned Feb. 1, 1940.
- THOMAS WOOLLEY, JR., Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 6, joined the department Nov. 1, 1910, placed on pension roll April 1, 1940.
- JOHN H. McDONALD, Captain, Engine Co. No. 2, joined the department Nov. 1, 1910, pensioned July 15, 1940.
- WILLIAM W. ENTWISTLE, Ladderman, Truck Co. No. 2, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll Sept. 29, 1940.
- THOMAS F. BREAKELL, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 3, joined the department May 12, 1909, pensioned Jan. 1, 1941.
- CHARLES H. LAWRENCE, Chauffeur, Truck Co. No. 5, joined the department Feb. 3, 1902, pensioned Feb. 1, 1941.
- FRANK N. CLEVELAND, Captain, Truck Co. No. 4, joined the department Oct. 23, 1903, pensioned March 2, 1941.
- ROLAND H. COBB, Ladderman, Truck Co. No. 2, joined the department July 17, 1918, placed on pension roll April 27, 1941.
- JOHN MURPHY, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 9, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll Jan. 1, 1942.
- EDWARD J. REGAN, Ladderman, Truck Co. No. 1, joined the department Oct. 7, 1918, placed on pension roll Jan. 1, 1942.
- JOHN H. GALLIGAN, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 7, joined the department Dec. 13, 1898, placed on pension roll March 1, 1942.
- JOSEPH MILER, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 9, joined the department April 2, 1922, placed on pension roll June 21, 1942.
- JOSEPH A. WALKER, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 4, joined the department Aug. 13, 1922, placed on pension roll Sept. 6, 1942.
- PERCY SHEPHERD, Captain, Truck Co. No. 3, joined the department Oct. 14, 1915, placed on pension roll July 12, 1942.
- ALBERT SCHOENE, Ladderman, Truck Co. No. 4, joined the department Sept. 24, 1922, placed on pension roll March 28, 1943.
- FREDERICK WIGNALL, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 4, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll May 2, 1943.
- FRANK C. CORRE, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 6, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll Feb. 6, 1944.
- EDGAR J. ROSS, Fireman, Hose Co. No. 2, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll June 18, 1944.
- THOMAS COLLINS, Fireman, Truck Co. No. 3, joined the department Nov. 25, 1917, placed on pension roll Sept. 24, 1944.
- GEORGE H. DENHAM, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 1, joined the department Aug. 3, 1903, placed on pension roll Nov. 19, 1944.
- WALTER H. HAWES, Fireman, Engine Co. No. 9, joined the department Nov. 25, 1917, pensioned Dec. 1, 1944.

- ROBERT E. ALLEN, Ass't Sup't of Fire Alarm, joined the department Sept. 26, 1898, pensioned Dec. 1, 1944.
- FRANK J. NICKLAS, Captain, Engine Co. No. 1, joined the department Jan. 3, 1915, pensioned March 1, 1945.
- HORACE A. BIRD, Fireman-Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 9, joined the department June 1, 1907, placed on pension roll April 24, 1945.
- WILLIAM N. WHELAN, Captain, Truck Co. No. 1, joined the department Aug. 29, 1904, pensioned July 4, 1945.
- JAMES T. WING, Lieutenant, Fire Alarm Branch, joined the department Jan. 28, 1901, pensioned July 19, 1945.
- MRS. EVELYNE CHARTIER, widow and ELAINE E. CHARTIER, daughter of Lieutenant Philias J. Chartier, who died as a result of fire duty Dec. 10, 1945, were granted an annuity by the Mayor and City Council, effective Dec. 10, 1945.
- MILES L. FAY, First District Chief, joined the department May 1, 1910, pensioned Feb. 1, 1946.
- JAMES H. DOWNEY, Master Mechanic, joined the department Oct. 19, 1908, pensioned Feb. 1, 1946.
- JOHN E. McDONALD, Lieutenant, Engine Co. No. 7, joined the department May 21, 1911, pensioned Feb. 1, 1946.
- WILLIAM BEEHAN, Fireman-Chauffeur, Truck Co. No. 3, joined the department Nov. 26, 1917, pensioned Feb. 1, 1946.
- MANUEL G. MARSHALL, JR., Fireman, Engine Co. No. 2, joined the department Nov. 25, 1917, pensioned Feb. 1, 1946.
- LAWRENCE J. BOLAND, Fireman-Mechanic, Repair Branch, joined the department May 1, 1918, placed on pension roll Feb. 3, 1946.
- WILLIAM F. MANNION, Fireman, Engine Co. No. 1, joined the department, June 30, 1918, placed on pension roll Feb. 3, 1946.
- ARTHUR E. SOUZA, Lieutenant, Truck Co. No. 3, joined the department March 7, 1911, pensioned March 1, 1946.
- EPHRAIM L. STUDLEY, Lieutenant, Engine Co. No. 2, joined the department Nov. 25, 1917, pensioned March 1, 1946.
- ALFRED A. DESROCHES, Fireman, Truck Co. No. 3, joined the department Jan. 7, 1917, pensioned March 1, 1946.
- HARMIDAS J. ROBERT, Captain, Engine Co. No. 2, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, pensioned April 1, 1946.
- JOSEPH FRANCIS, Fireman, Engine Co. No. 1, joined the department Dec. 1, 1917, pensioned April 1, 1946.
- WILLIAM J. GIBBS, JR., Fireman, Truck Co. No. 5, joined the department Oct. 19, 1908, pensioned April 1, 1946.
- JOSEPH P. FOLEY, Fireman, Engine Co. No. 7, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, pensioned May 1, 1946.
- JOHN J. BRENNAN, Fireman, Truck Co. No. 1, joined the department March 18, 1923, placed on pension roll Aug. 25, 1946.
- DANIEL J. TARPEY, Fireman-Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 2, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, pensioned Oct. 1, 1946.

CAPTAINS IN CHARGE OF STATIONS

REPAIR SHOP, STATION NUMBER ONE

PHILIP J. PREVOST, Master Mechanic

Appointed March 10, 1946

HEADQUARTERS, STATION NUMBER TWO

ELMER H. JAMES, Assistant Superintendent

Appointed June 1, 1946

STATION NUMBER TWO

ALBERT WOOLEY

Appointed July 8, 1945

STATION NUMBER THREE

EDWARD J. BLY

Appointed January 18, 1943

STATION NUMBER FOUR

JAMES P. QUINN

Appointed March 30, 1941

STATION NUMBER FIVE

EDWARD DUPUIS

Appointed April 29, 1945

STATION NUMBER SIX

THOMAS E. LUNDY

Appointed October 27, 1946

STATION NUMBER SEVEN

WALTER C. MARTIN

Appointed December 1, 1946

STATION NUMBER EIGHT

CHARLES J. McKENNA

Appointed March 2, 1941

STATION NUMBER NINE

JOSEPH RUMNEY

Appointed March 22, 1931

STATION NUMBER TEN

PHILIP A. RAINVILLE

Appointed July 15, 1940

STATION NUMBER ELEVEN

ARTHUR W. RAYMOND

Appointed March 30, 1941

REPORT

December 31, 1946

Hon. Arthur N. Harriman, Mayor

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to submit, herewith, my forty-third annual report of the conditions and operations of the Fire Department for the year 1946.

The Department answered 362 Box alarms and 943 Still or Telephone alarms, a total of 1,305 calls during the year.

There are eleven brick Stations and one frame building in the custody of this Department.

The Fire Prevention Bureau made numerous inspections during the year and corrected many fire hazards.

Due to lack of manpower, a limited number of periodic inspections were made by the Deputy and District Chiefs and Firemen throughout the year.

APPARATUS IN COMMISSION

- 8 Motor Pumping Engines.
- 4 Electrical Aerial Trucks.
- 1 City Service Truck.
- 2 Hose Wagons with Booster Equipment.
- 1 Fog Fire Fighter.
- 1 Foam Chemical.
- 5 Automobiles for Chief and Assistants.
- 1 Automobile for Fire Prevention Bureau.
- 1 Automobile for Master Mechanic.
- 1 Supply Truck for Repair Force.
- 1 Wrecking Car for Repair Force.
- 1 Supply Truck for Fire Alarm Bureau.
- 1 International Truck equipped with Civilian Defense skid pump, assigned to Auxiliary Company at Sassaquin.

APPARATUS IN RESERVE

- 1 Motor Combination Pumping Engine.
- 1 Hose Wagon with Booster Equipment.
- 1 1½ ton White Truck equipped with Civilian Defense skid pump.
- 1 Rolls Royce Ambulance.
- 1 ¾ ton International Squad Wagon.

We have also in our custody the following Civilian Defense equipment, assigned as follows:

- 3 Front-end Pumps to Dept. of Public Works.
- 1 Trailer Pump to Water Works Department.
- 1 Trailer Pump to Fire Station No. 3.
- 2 Trailer Pumps to Fire Station No. 4.
- 2 Trailer Pumps to Fire Station No. 6.
- 2 Trailer Pumps to Fire Station No. 7.
- 2 Trailer Pumps to Fire Station No. 8.
- 2 Trailer Pumps to Fire Station No. 9.
- 1 Trailer Pump to Repair Shop.
- 3,600 feet of 1½" Single Jacket Hose.

Also an assortment of Gas Masks, Coats, Pants, Pump Cans, Medical Kits, etc.

MANUAL FORCE

Consists of 198 men.

HOSE

- 900 feet of 3 inch.
- 22,800 feet of 2½ inch.
- 1,850 feet of ¾ inch.
- 500 feet of ¾ inch high pressure hose.
- 200 feet of 1 inch.
- 148 Waterproof Covers carried on apparatus.

DEATHS

Alfred J. Normandin, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 7, joined the department May 2, 1918, placed on pension roll March 1, 1942, died February 6, 1946.

James J. Donaghy, Deputy Chief, joined the department Sept. 1, 1884, pensioned July 1, 1938, died July 14, 1946.

Lawrence F. Cocking, Chauffeur, Engine Co. No. 6, joined the department Feb. 2, 1920, placed on pension roll Dec. 5, 1943, died Sept. 9, 1946.

John J. Mullarkey, Fireman, Foam Chemical No. 5, joined the department April 28, 1929, died Sept. 14, 1946.

John McQuilken, Jr., Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 6, joined the department Oct. 19, 1908, pensioned May 1, 1941, died Dec. 29, 1946.

RESIGNATIONS

Charles L. Stacey, Fireman, Truck Co. No. 1, joined the department Nov. 16, 1936, resigned Oct. 21, 1946.

FATALITIES

Richard M. Ames, age 73 years, was pronounced dead on arrival at St. Luke's Hospital from shock and second degree burns received at fire at 344 Kempton St. on Feb. 18, 1946 at 6:15 A.M.

Alice Fay Bessette, age 5 years, burned so badly at a fire at 199 Belleville Ave. at 9:57 A.M. July 17, 1946, that she died at St. Luke's Hospital at 11:08 P.M. the same day.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I recommend the purchase of at least 1500 feet of Double Jacket Hose, One Pumper, One Aerial Truck, One new adding machine, Six Fire Alarm Boxes and Six Fire Alarm Box Pedestals.

Also Two Portable Lighting Generators to be put on two new Aerial Ladder Trucks now on order.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. DAHILL,
Chief of Department

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

GENERAL EXPENSES

	<i>Dr.</i>		
Appropriation		\$19,840.00	
Transferred to other accounts		350.00	
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		\$19,490.00	
Transferred from other accounts		4,000.00	
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Net Appropriation			\$23,490.00
	<i>Cr.</i>		
Building Maintenance:			
Repairs	\$	506.33	
Furniture and Fixtures		425.53	
Janitor supplies		507.88	
Water		348.19	
Fuel		7,536.35	
Light		2,150.88	
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Equipment Maintenance:			
Repairs		\$151.47	
Hose and couplings		18.66	
Supplies		142.99	
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Motor Maintenance:			
Repairs		\$3,520.74	
Gasoline, oil and supplies		1,082.54	
Electric truck charging		246.25	
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Other Expenses:			
Signal system maintenance		\$2,840.97	
Postage		59.18	
Telephone and telegraph		997.47	
Freight and express		38.95	
Printing and binding		654.07	
Medical and surgical		1,872.73	
Stationery and supplies		89.93	
N. B. Protecting Society		200.00	
Miscellaneous		98.28	
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Total Expenditures			\$23,489.39
Unexpended balance			.61
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			\$23,490.00
Departmental Receipts turned into General Revenue			\$261.11
Cost of Living Adjustment			\$39,306.81

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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SALARIES AND PAYROLLS

Dr.

Appropriation	\$429,334.92	
Transferred to Special Account	178.87	
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Net Appropriation		\$429,156.05

Cr.

Salaries and Wages:		
Protection	\$399,253.26	
Clerical	3,621.66	
Equipment maintenance	7,658.36	
Signal system maintenance	16,682.41	
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Total Expenditures		\$427,215.69
Unexpended balance		1,940.36
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		\$429,156.05

PENSIONS

Total pensions	\$33,911.07	
Total annuities	2,335.95	
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Total		\$36,247.02

NEW EQUIPMENT

Apparatus

Dr.

Appropriation		\$50,000.00
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Cr.

Encumbered for one new pumper	\$13,250.00	
Encumbered for two new aerial trucks	32,830.00	
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Total for new apparatus		\$46,080.00
Unexpended balance		3,920.00
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		\$50,000.00

Hose

Dr.

Appropriation		\$1,300.00
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Cr.

Encumbered for 1,350 feet of 2½" hose	\$1,256.85	
Unexpended balance	43.15	
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		\$1,300.00

REPORT OF ALARMS, LOSSES AND INSURANCE FOR THE YEAR 1946

— Alarms —		— Damage —		— Insurance —	
Month	Box	Buildings	Contents	Buildings	Contents
January	25	\$13,149.19	\$ 6,228.83	\$256,800.00	\$5,731,900.00
February	36	18,712.71	17,688.34	260,500.00	4,073,400.00
March	69	8,945.06	1,582.70	205,950.00	550,503.00
April	32	16,066.74	43,556.37	795,750.00	373,500.00
May	25	5,477.64	2,410.00	49,215.00	4,900.00
June	25	4,449.42	3,532.04	83,900.00	64,500.00
July	24	9,912.14	5,618.68	543,500.00	11,846.48
August	22	1,906.00	1,257.43	78,761.00	12,000.00
September	15	2,735.18	390.00	613,000.00	77,100.00
October	25	6,738.50	4,817.95	32,500.00	522,000.00
November	37	4,948.77	3,048.49	212,075.00	60,500.00
December	27	10,331.35	4,250.35	227,600.00	5,055,500.00
Total	362	\$103,372.70	\$94,381.18	\$3,359,551.00	\$16,537,649.48

Above contents insurance reported includes blanket policies covering buildings and contents to the amount of

\$15,329,953.00.

Total reported loss \$197,753.88

Total reported insurance \$19,897,200.48

CAUSES FOR FIRES AND ALARMS

Acetylene torch carelessness	3
Anti-freeze ignited	6
Auto accident	2
Back draught	4
Back fire	8
Blow torch carelessness	4
Bonfire	2
Burning brush	73
Burning dump	108
Burning food	6
Burning grass	133
Burning grease	20
Burning hay	3
Burning insulation	1
Burning rubbish	86
Burning soot	45
Burning tarpaulin	1
Candle carelessness	4
Careless use of bomb lights	4
Careless use of electric flatiron	8
Careless use of gas pilot	2
Careless use of portable oil burner	4
Careless use of cabinet oil burner	1
Careless use of turpentine	1
Careless smoker	73
Child and matches	137
Child placed newspapers against gas flame.....	1
Cigarette	77
Coating material ignited	3
Combustible material too near heating oven	2
Combustible material too near hot water heater...	2
Curtains too near stove	7
Defective chimney	1
Defective cabinet oil burner	5
Defective furnace oil burner	1
Defective gas stove	1
Defective electric motor	2
Defective portable oil burner	4
Defective range oil burner	7
Defective transformer	1
Defective wiring	12
Explosion of cabinet oil burner	1
Explosion of range oil burner	3
Exposure fires	7
False Alarms	88
Faulty carburetor	4
Friction of auto tire	1
Friction of metal ignited combustible material....	2
Gas stove too near wood partition	2
Gas leak	1
Gasoline accident	1
Gasoline carelessness	9
Hot ashes in contact with wood or paper	15
Hot stove rag ignited	1

Improper operation of cabinet oil burner	23
Improper operation of furnace oil burner.....	5
Improper operation of gas stove	1
Improper operation of portable oil burner	3
Improper operation of range oil burner	7
Jack-O-Lantern	1
Leaking gasoline fuel line	3
Lightning	2
Match carelessness	5
No fire found	67
Overheated brake bands	6
Overheated chimney	3
Overheated coffee roaster	1
Overheated electric grille	1
Overheated electric motor	5
Overheated exhaust pipe	2
Overheated furnace	6
Overheated motor	7
Overheated oven	3
Overheated stove	7
Overheated stovepipe	6
Overheated wax	1
Paper in contact with gas heater	1
Petroleum carelessness	4
Remaining embers	3
Shoe polish ignited	1
Short circuit	80
Spark from chimney	3
Spark from exhaust pipe	2
Spark from electric motor	1
Spark from grinding machine	1
Spark from locomotive	5
Spontaneous combustion or ignition	7
Sprinkler trouble	20
Stovepipe opening improperly capped	1
Tar boiled over	1
Thawing water pipes	2
Unusual smoke	6
Varnish being heated on stove ignited	1
Out of City: Dartmouth	3
Fairhaven	1
Fall River	1
Freetown	1

ENGINE COMPANY No. 1

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Oct. 12, 1924	10	Edward Dupuis	Captain
July 1, 1938	16	Russell R. Crawford	Lieutenant
Nov. 25, 1917	6	Ernest Lord	Fireman-Chauffeur
Feb. 2, 1920	11	Robert J. Sullivan, Jr.	"
Jan. 1, 1923	12	James F. Cairns	Fireman
Dec. 15, 1912	7	George T. Davis	"
Feb. 2, 1920	4	Joseph A. McAvoy	"
Nov. 3, 1940	13	Napoleon L. Leclerc	"
Nov. 19, 1944	15	Howard M. York	"
Dec. 17, 1944	47	Robert L. Merrick	"
Apr. 14, 1946	14	Armand Robitaille	"

ENGINE COMPANY No. 2

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 9, 1916	26	Albert Wooley	Captain
Vacancy			Lieutenant
June 2, 1918	24	Edmund Roberts, Jr.	Fireman-Chauffeur
May 1, 1921	19	William Clarkson	Fireman
Nov. 15, 1925	25	Hubert C. Brown	"
Apr. 13, 1927	22	Stephen Lehman	"
Dec. 8, 1929	23	Marianno M. Pacheco	"
Dec. 7, 1930	29	Theodore J. Frings	"
Feb. 4, 1943	27	Leo A. Roy	"
Dec. 19, 1943	21	Raymond J. Picard	"
Feb. 24, 1946	20	Richard J. Foley	"
June 16, 1946	28	Roger G. Sansoucy	"

ENGINE COMPANY No. 3

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 9, 1905	31	Edward J. Bly	Captain
Jan. 14, 1913	32	Francis J. Kennedy	Lieutenant
June 1, 1925	34	Eric Henthorn	Fireman-Chauffeur
Dec. 26, 1937	42	Anthony Perry	"
Feb. 2, 1920	41	George H. Spooner	Fireman
Feb. 2, 1920	40	Benoni T. Sweet	"
Sept. 15, 1938	33	Henry R. Butts	"
Nov. 8, 1938	38	James H. Bruce, Jr.	"
Oct. 14, 1940	36	Stephen A. Tripp	"
Feb. 26, 1941	35	Ernest M. Torres	"

ENGINE COMPANY No. 4

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 1, 1921	51	James P. Quinn	Captain
Vacancy			Lieutenant
Sept. 8, 1920	52	John J. O'Brien	Fireman-Chauffeur
Apr. 21, 1940		Henry Mastey	Armed Forces
Oct. 11, 1942	54	Edmund H. Therrien	Fireman
Oct. 18, 1942	46	Amos A. Horsfall	"
Nov. 29, 1942	57	Edwin M. Albino	"
Mar. 21, 1943	43	James P. Martin	"
Oct. 8, 1944	47	Edgar N. Prevost	"
Feb. 4, 1945	44	Raymond L. Giasson	"
Feb. 4, 1945	48	David R. Simpson	"
Feb. 4, 1945	49	Irving T. Perrier	"
Feb. 24, 1946	45	Marshall E. Branzell	"
Apr. 8, 1945	59	George Sylvia	"

ENGINE COMPANY No. 6

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Dec. 11, 1938	138	James E. Harwood	Captain
Feb. 2, 1920	131	Richard Pinnington	Lieutenant
Feb. 2, 1920	127	Philip Kilbride	Fireman
Dec. 9, 1917	55	Thomas McCue	"
Oct. 7, 1913	128	Joseph E. Freitas	"
Mar. 23, 1923	126	Joseph C. Vincent	"
June 1, 1934	123	Edward A. Carroll	"
July 1, 1938	136	George F. Roderique	"
Oct. 16, 1938	124	Alexander W. Whelan	"
June 23, 1940	129	Clarence C. Rawlins	"
May 25, 1941	132	Joseph Santos	"
Dec. 19, 1943	125	Thomas F. Parker, Jr.	"
May 12, 1946	230	Edgar S. Haworth	"

ENGINE COMPANY No. 7

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
July 29, 1920	215	Walter C. Martin	Captain
Vacancy			Lieutenant
Dec. 31, 1928	212	Theodore J. Schoene	Fireman-Chauffeur
Feb. 2, 1920	195	Thomas A. Bond	"
Aug. 13, 1922	207	Leonard Mason	Fireman
July 1, 1938	208	Joseph D. Lawrence	"
May 1, 1921	200	John Rebello	"
July 31, 1940	201	George K. Riendeau	"
Aug. 27, 1940	198	Herbert A. Bochman	"
Feb. 6, 1941	204	Matthew Perry	"
June 8, 1941	199	Raynor Taylor	"
Mar. 29, 1942	202	Thomas R. Wholley, Jr.	"
Mar. 21, 1943		Chester Turbak	Armed Forces

ENGINE COMPANY No. 9

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Sept. 6, 1917	146	Joseph Rumney	Captain
May 5, 1940	148	Gordon M. Shepley	Lieutenant
Mar. 21, 1926	152	Samuel Shorrock	Fireman-Chauffeur
Feb. 2, 1920	155	Arthur J. Gallant	Fireman
Dec. 13, 1917	159	William A. Nelson	"
Dec. 1, 1917	145	Albert Berry	"
Feb. 2, 1920	151	Gilbert Green	"
May 1, 1921	157	George Klemm	"
June 19, 1937	156	William Travers	"
Feb. 15, 1927	154	Alphonse J. Picard	"
Jan. 13, 1941	149	Roland J. Codérre	"
May 7, 1944	150	Roger R. Prevost	"

ENGINE COMPANY No. 10

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
July 17, 1918	240	Philip A. Rainville	Captain
Feb. 4, 1940	245	Edward C. Leahy	Lieutenant
Dec. 2, 1917	246	Alexander Strack	Fireman-Chauffeur
Nov. 27, 1917	248	Henry Hesford, Jr.	"
Oct. 31, 1937	252	Edward C. Montwill	Fireman
June 16, 1938	247	Edward J. Jablonski	"
June 30, 1940	251	Harrison M. Francis	"
Sept. 15, 1940	249	Oreste A. Savino	"
May 25, 1941	242	Albert Grenier	"
June 8, 1941	244	Ernest Laviolette	"
May 29, 1942	243	Gerald D. Methe	"
Oct. 4, 1942	241	Earl P. Smith	"

FOG COMPANY No. 1

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Feb. 2, 1920	85	William E. Blanchard	Captain
Vacancy			Lieutenant
Nov. 30, 1919	80	Peter J. Cournoyer	Fireman-Chauffeur
Nov. 25, 1917	81	Nathaniel H. Caswell	"
Feb. 17, 1929	87	Rene C. H. Boutin	Fireman
Feb. 2, 1920	82	Albert L. Audette	"
Apr. 18, 1937	79	John R. Stephenson	"
July 7, 1940	86	George W. Shepley	"
Oct. 15, 1944	84	Leo J. Gagnon	"
Sept. 23, 1945	30	Harold E. Norris	"

HOSE COMPANY No. 2

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 1, 1921	185	Charles J. McKenna	Captain
Vacancy			Lieutenant
Oct. 1, 1917	192	Joseph G. E. Bessette	Fireman-Chauffeur
Nov. 25, 1917	187	Charles A. Vail	"
Feb. 2, 1920	194	Sam Julio	Fireman
Feb. 2, 1920	193	Godias J. Boucher	"
Feb. 2, 1920	188	Louis J. R. Comeau	"
Sept. 15, 1938	181	Raymond G. Furness	"
Dec. 6, 1942	189	Armand E. Bourque	"
Jan. 19, 1941	190	Gerard N. Marchessault	"
Dec. 31, 1939	191	Edward W. Sylvia	"
May 25, 1941	196	Frank H. Cleveland	"

HOSE COMPANY No. 4

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 1, 1921	270	Arthur W. Raymond	Captain
Aug. 11, 1908	271	James Sanderson, Jr.	Lieutenant
July 17, 1918	267	Walter Earnshaw	Fireman-Chauffeur
July 17, 1918	272	Robert Cocking	"
Feb. 2, 1920	268	Frank Cheetham	Fireman
Feb. 2, 1920	273	Francis M. Dowd	"
Apr. 2, 1918	274	John F. Maguire	"
Feb. 2, 1920	265	James T. O'Brien	"
Feb. 2, 1920	275	Henry F. Pykosz	"
Jan. 1, 1923	276	Thomas Spence	"

FOAM CHEMICAL COMPANY No. 5

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Dec. 7, 1930	18	Arthur Poitras	Fireman-Chauffeur
Dec. 7, 1917	3	William P. Robert	Fireman

LADDER COMPANY No. 1

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
July 9, 1920	92	Walter E. Cobb	Captain
Nov. 21, 1913	95	Charles J. Calnan, Sr.	Lieutenant
Feb. 2, 1920	103	Joseph DeTerra	Fireman-Chauffeur
Feb. 2, 1920		John T. King	Fireman
Sept. 1, 1940	102	George P. Hanson	"
Nov. 16, 1941	99	Richard T. Gaughan	"
Jan. 11, 1942	96	Edward J. Polgroszek	"
Jan. 11, 1942	98	Daniel L. Pickut	"
Feb. 11, 1945	101	Joseph T. Callaghan	"
Apr. 15, 1946	104	Arthur Macey, Jr.	"
Aug. 26, 1946	107	Fred Osuch	"

LADDER COMPANY No. 2

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 1, 1921	178	Theodore A. Cote	Captain
Dec. 11, 1938	177	James C. Foley	Lieutenant
Feb. 2, 1920	171	William Belisle	Fireman-Chauffeur
Feb. 2, 1920	183	Arthur E. Dudevoir	"
July 10, 1938	176	Stephen Kamionek	Fireman
July 15, 1934	175	Adelard J. Rochefort	"
Feb. 2, 1920	173	George D. Daudelin	"
July 17, 1918	174	William H. Green	"
Feb. 18, 1945	172	Theodore J. Frechette	"
May 28, 1945	179	Albert W. Trudelle	"
May 12, 1946	180	Joseph P. Pisarczyk	"

LADDER COMPANY No. 3

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Dec. 18, 1921	232	Thomas E. Lundy	Captain
Vacancy			Lieutenant
Jan. 2, 1918	227	Thomas W. Whittaker	Fireman-Chauffeur
July 4, 1920	234	Fred Clarkson	"
Oct. 1, 1902	228	Frank T. Cooke	Fireman
Feb. 2, 1920	226	Arthur Harwood	"
Oct. 11, 1942	224	Joseph C. Avila	"
May 2, 1943	231	James T. Wing, Jr.	"
Dec. 26, 1943	218	Romeo W. Dupont	"
Oct. 8, 1944	220	Charles Vosseler, Jr.	"
Dec. 17, 1944	233	Leonard R. Clarkson	"
Feb. 24, 1946	229	John J. Sylvia	"

LADDER COMPANY No. 4

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
May 1, 1921	289	Lawrence J. O'Connor	Captain
May 1, 1921	288	Leo F. McGoff	Lieutenant
Dec. 7, 1919	286	William A. Lenhart	Fireman-Chauffeur
Dec. 2, 1917	283	Irvine W. Nelson	"
Nov. 7, 1918	287	Joseph E. Pidgeon	Fireman
July 11, 1926	285	Arthur Millette	"
Feb. 3, 1920	284	Frederick Walker	"
Aug. 9, 1942	293	William H. Barney	"
May 24, 1942	280	Everett D. Briggs	"
June 13, 1943	291	Alphonse Piekut	"
Dec. 8, 1940	290	Michael A. Zych	"
Dec. 19, 1943	292	Raymond W. Cobb	"

LADDER COMPANY No. 5

Date of Joining Dept.	No. of Badge	Name	Rank
Mar. 29, 1936	70	Charles J. Armanetti	Captain
Jan. 8, 1907	75	Ernest G. S. Teachman	Lieutenant
Feb. 2, 1920	71	Anthony V. Gracia	Fireman-Chauffeur
Apr. 18, 1937	73	Alfred J. Gibbs	"
Sept. 1, 1892	77	Charles A. Haskins	Fireman
Jan. 1, 1895	74	Edward C. Neagus, Jr.	"
Feb. 2, 1920	69	Thomas W. Bell	"
Mar. 15, 1942	39	Gordon W. Graham	"

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LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES

— ONE —

112	National Pairpoint Corp.	223	N. B. Rayon Co., foot Hathaway
113	Quissett Mill	2231	N. B. Rayon Co., foot Nash Rd.
114	City Mills	224	Nashawena Mills A, Belleville Ave. and Belleville Rd.
117	Hathaway Mills	2241	Nashawena Mills A, Belleville Ave. & Hatch St.
118	Dartmouth Mills	2242	Nashawena Mills A, Conduit St. foot Central Ave.
119	Hathaway Mills "B"	225	Nonquitt Mill No. 1, foot Covell St.
12	Butler Mill	2251	Nonquitt Mill No. 2, foot Covell St.
122	Cornell Dubilier Corp.	226	Acushnet Process Co.
124	Booth Mill	2261	Aerovox Corp.
125	Kilburn Mill	229	Allen Co., River Rd.
13	Page Mill	231	Pierce Bros. Ltd.
131	Gosnold Mills	232	Taber Mill
132	Fisk Rubber Co., Orchard St.	233	Hoosac Cotton Mills
133	Goodyear Rubber Co., Orchard St.	234	Beacon Mills
134	Fisk Rubber Co., Bolton St.	235	National Spun Silk Co.
135	Hemingway Trucking Co.	24	U. S. Ry. Co., Weld St.
136	Hathaway Warehouse, Hemlock St.	242	Smith Bros. Brewery
14	Morse Twist Drill & Machine Co.	243	N. B. Warehouse, Sawyer St.
141	John J. Gobell Co.	244	Dawson's Brewery
142	N. B. Gas & Ed. Light Co., Water St.	2441	Laurans Bros., Brook St.
143	Massachusetts Steamship Lines, Inc.	245	Union Warehouse, Nash Road
145	U. S. Ry. Co., Power House	246	Belleville Warehouse
146	U. S. Ry. Co., Popes Island	251	Revere Copper Co.
147	Merchants Term. Warehouse, Front St.	252	Hill & Cutler, East Pope St.
148	J. C. Rhodes & Co.	253	Freight House, Pearl St.
149	State Pier	254	Freight House, Willis St.
15	N. B. Cordage Co.	255	Railroad Engine House
16	St. Luke's Hospital, Page St.	256	Hill & Cutler Co., Pearl St.
19	Acushnet Park	257	Giusti Baking Co.
191	Fort Rodman	259	Meyer Fox, 223 No. Second St.

— TWO —

21	Genensky Bldg., North & No. Second	26	Soule Mill, Nash Rd.
211	Genensky Bldg., foot of North St.	261	Firestone Mill, King St.
212	Wamsutta Mills	28	Continental Wood Screw Co.
213	Grinnell Mill	281	Nauset Warehouse
215	Fairhaven Mills, Coggeshall St.	282	Garbage Plant, Shawmut Ave. north from Hathaway Road
216	Pierce Mill, Belleville Ave. & Sawyer St.	29	Lambeth Rope Works, Tarkiln Hill Rd.
2161	Pierce Mill, foot of Dean St.	291	J. I. Paulding Inc., King's Highway
217	Fairhaven Mills, Sawyer St.		
221	Whitman Mills		

— THREE —

- 3 Lunds Corner
- 31 Acushnet Ave. and Wood St.
- 311 Acushnet Ave. and Perry St.
- 312 Acushnet Ave. and Hatch St.
- 313 Acushnet Ave. and Belleville Rd.
- 315 Howard Ave. and Belleville Ave.
- 316 Belleville Ave. and Covell St.
- 317 Belleville Rd. and Hope St.
- 318 Belleville Rd. and Diman St.
- 319 Acushnet Ave. and Nash Rd.
- 323 Arlington and Clifford Sts.
- 324 Concord and Shaw Sts.
- 325 Arlington and Query Sts.
- 326 Ashley Blvd. and Shaw St.
- 327 Ashley Blvd. and Glennon St.
- 329 Nash Rd. and Ashley Blvd.
- 332 Church and Glennon Sts.
- 334 Nash Rd. and Church St.
- 343 Carlisle and Milford Sts.
- 345 Irvington and Rochambeau Sts.
- 361 Tarkiln Hill Rd. and Mt. Pleasant St.
- 362 Plainville Rd., east Hebrew Cemetery
- 363 Shawmut Ave. and Plainville Rd.
- 37 Harwich and Conduit Sts.
- 371 Wood and Felton Sts.
- 372 Tarkiln Hill Rd. and Felton St.
- 373 Branscomb and Orleans Sts.
- 374 Ashley Blvd. and Wood St.
- 375 Tarkiln Hill Rd. and Ashley Blvd.
- 376 Tarkiln Hill Rd. and Prescott St.
- 38 Acushnet and Squin. Aves.
- 381 Acushnet Ave. and Peckham Rd.
- 382 Acushnet Ave. and Braley Road
- 383 Acushnet Ave. and White St.
- 385 Acushnet Ave. and Forbes St.
- 386 Acushnet Ave. and Phillips Rd.
- 387 Acushnet Ave. and Chaffee St.
- 388 Acushnet Ave., & Pontiac St.

— FOUR —

- 4 Tinkham and No. Front Sts.
- 41 Hathaway and Diman Sts.
- 411 Belleville Ave. and Davis St.
- 412 Acushnet Ave. and Davis St.
- 413 Ashley Blvd. and Coffin Ave.
- 4131 Ashley Blvd. and Phillips Ave.
- 414 Coffin Ave. and No. Front St.
- 415 Belleville and Coffin Ave.
- 416 Acushnet Ave. and Bullard St.
- 42 Belleville Ave. and Nye St.
- 421 Tallman St. and Ashley Blvd.
- 422 Acushnet Ave. and Sawyer St.
- 423 Holly and No. Front Sts.
- 43 Acushnet Ave. and Coggeshall St.

- 431 Belleville Ave. and Coggeshall St.
- 432 Cedar Grove and North Front Sts.
- 433 Cedar Grove St. and Acushnet Ave.
- 4331 Cedar Grove and Howard Sts.
- 434 Acushnet Ave. and Washburn St.
- 435 Hicks and No. Front Sts.
- 441 Brook and Earl Sts.
- 442 Ashley Blvd. and Earl St.
- 451 Mt. Vernon and Highland Sts.
- 452 Mt. Pleasant and Peckham Sts.
- 453 Summer and Adams Sts.
- 454 Mt. Pleasant and Sawyer Sts.
- 455 Presidential Heights, head Summer St.
- 459 Mt. Pleasant St. & Kings Highway
- 46 Sawyer and County Sts.
- 461 Coggeshall and Reynolds Sts.
- 4611 County and Coggeshall Sts.
- 462 Purchase and Cedar Grove Sts.
- 463 County and Clark Sts.
- 464 Myrtle and Clark Sts.
- 47 Purchase and Linden Sts.
- 471 County and Linden Sts.
- 472 Durfee and Summer Sts.
- 473 Durfee and Highland Sts.
- 48 Shawmut Ave. and Durfee St.
- 482 Shawmut Ave. and Potter St.
- 484 Shawmut Ave. and Hathaway Rd.
- 49 Rockdale Ave. and Grant St.
- 492 Rockdale Ave. and Durfee St.
- 494 Rockdale Ave. and Hathaway Rd.

— FIVE —

- 5 Parker St. near Summer St.
- 51 County and Parker Sts.
- 511 Hazard and State Sts.
- 512 Merrimac and State Sts.
- 513 Purchase and Franklin Sts.
- 514 Purchase and Willis Sts.
- 515 Acushnet Ave. and Wall St.
- 516 Acushnet Ave. and Maxfield St.
- 517 State and Sycamore Sts.
- 5171 Maxfield and Pleasant Sts.
- 52 Richmond and Austin Sts.
- 521 Shawmut Ave. and Maitland St.
- 522 Cottage and Robeson Sts.
- 5221 Home for the Aged, Summer and Austin Sts.
- 523 Robeson and Summer Sts.
- 5231 County and Merrimac Sts.
- 524 Cedar and Locust Sts.
- 525 Shawmut Ave. and Parker St.
- 526 Chestnut and Willis Sts.
- 527 Cedar and Smith Sts.
- 5271 Cedar and Maxfield Sts.
- 53 Kempton and Cedar Sts.

531 Kempton and Chancery Sts.
 532 Kempton and Liberty Sts.
 533 Kempton and Florence Sts.
 534 Kempton St. and Rockdale Ave.
 536 Kempton and Jenny Lind Sts.
 54 Purchase and North Sts.
 541 No. Water and North Sts.
 542 Bridge Park
 543 Fish Island
 544 Rodman and Front Sts.
 545 City Pier-foot of Hamilton St.
 551 County and Maxfield Sts.
 552 County and Kempton Sts.
 553 Pleasant and High Sts.
 554 Purchase and Elm Sts.
 5541 W. T. Grant Co.
 5542 Cherry & Co., Purchase St.
 5543 C. F. Wing Co.
 556 William and No. Sixth Sts.
 5561 Cummings Bldg., William St.
 5562 Merchants Bank Bldg. William St.
 557 County and Morgan Sts.
 5571 Summer and Middle Sts.
 56 Union and Eighth Sts.
 561 Union and Purchase Sts.
 5611 Hutchinson's Book Store Bldg.
 5612 N. B. Dry Goods Co.
 5613 Masonic Bldg.
 5614 Standard Building
 5615 A. E. Coffin Bldg.
 5616 Vera Bldg., Union St.
 562 William and No. Second Sts.
 563 Union and Water Sts.
 5631 H. Falk & Co., Union & Front Sts.
 57 Cottage and North Sts.
 571 Hillman and Ash Sts.
 572 Park and Keene Sts.
 573 Park and Smith Sts.
 581 Union and Ash Sts.
 582 Union and Ocean Sts.
 583 Union and Rounds Sts.
 59 Cottage and Court Sts.
 591 Court and Park Sts.
 5911 Court and Liberty Sts.
 592 Court and James Sts.
 593 Palmer and Elm Sts.
 594 Court and Reed Sts.
 595 Buttonwood and Lake Sts.
 596 Brownell Ave. and Pinette St.

— SIX —

6 Pleasant and School Sts.
 61 Purchase and Madison Sts.
 611 Second and School Sts.
 6111 Parson's Steam Laundry

6112 N. B. Gas & Ed. Lt. Co., Purchase
 Spring Sts.
 612 Walnut and So. Water Sts.
 6121 Homer's Wharf
 613 So. Water and Coffin Sts.
 614 So. Water and Leonard Sts.
 6141 Salt Sea Fish Co., Ft of Howland St.
 615 Acushnet Ave. and Cannon St.
 616 Bedford and So. Sixth Sts.
 6161 Pleasant and Russell Sts.
 617 Walnut and Seventh Sts.
 62 Allen and Dartmouth Sts.
 621 Bedford and Borden Sts.
 622 Ward and Bay Sts.
 623 Allen and Page Sts.
 624 Allen and Brigham Sts.
 625 Allen and Reed Sts.
 63 Hawthorn and Cottage Sts.
 631 Hawthorn and Page Sts.
 632 Hawthorn and Brigham Sts.
 633 Ryan and Brownell Sts.
 634 Carroll and Reed Sts.
 635 Maple and Rounds Sts.
 636 Hawthorn St. and Rockdale Ave.
 64 Orchard and Clinton Sts.
 641 Arnold and Ash Sts.
 642 Arnold and Atlantic Sts.
 643 Arnold and Rotch Sts.
 644 Arnold and Reed Sts.

— SEVEN —

7 Howland and So. Second Sts.
 71 Purchase and South Sts.
 711 So. Water and South Sts.
 7111 Acushnet Ave., north from South St.
 712 Potomska and So. First Sts.
 713 Acushnet Ave. and Rivet St.
 714 So. Water and Blackmer Sts.
 715 So. Water and Division Sts.
 716 So. Water and Cove Sts.
 717 Cove and Viall Sts.
 72 County and Grinnell Sts.
 721 Rockland and Hall Sts.
 722 County and Thompson Sts.
 7221 Crapo and Thompson Sts.
 723 County and Blackmer Sts.
 7231 Division St. and Acushnet Ave.
 724 County and Mosher Sts.
 725 County and Cove Sts.
 73 Washington and Crapo Sts.
 731 Orchard and Fair Sts.
 732 Briggs and Thompson Sts.
 7321 Hemlock and Thompson Sts.
 733 Bolton and Rivet Sts.

- 734 Crapo and Rivet Sts.
- 735 Crapo and Division Sts.
- 7351 Katherine and Bonney Sts.
- 74 Dartmouth and Hickory Sts.
- 741 Dartmouth and Rockland Sts.
- 742 Dartmouth and Rivet Sts.
- 743 Dartmouth and Dunbar Sts.
- 744 Hemlock and Swift Sts.
- 745 Hemlock and Sagamore Sts.
- 7451 Hemlock St. and Rockdale Ave.
- 746 Field and Matthew Sts.
- 747 Rockdale Ave. and Sharp St.
- 748 Rockdale Ave. and Luke St.

— EIGHT —

- 8 City Infirmary
- 81 Isolation Hospital
- 811 Brock Ave. and Hudson St.
- 812 Brock Ave. and Capitol St.
- 813 Brock Ave. and Butler St.
- 8131 Brock Ave. and Frederick St.
- 814 Brock Ave. and Rodney St.
- 815 Brock Ave. and George St.
- 816 Ruth and Ashley Sts.
- 82 Rod. French Blvd., west, and Brock Ave.
- 821 Rod. French Blvd., west and Willard St.
- 822 Rod. French Blvd., west and Oaklawn St
- 83 Rodney French Blvd., east and Cove St.
- 831 Rod. French Blvd., east, & Frederick St.

SPECIAL SIGNALS

- 22 Struck twice, at 7:30 a.m. and 11:50
a.m. No School Signal
- 10 Blows struck twice, Military Call
- 15 Blows struck twice, Naval Call
- 38 Blows struck once, Civil Relief Com-
mittee Call
- 99 Struck four times, Police Call

COMMUNICATION,

Mayor, submitting annual report of the fire department
for the year 1946.

IN CITY COUNCIL,

February 27, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered
printed in the city documents.

Charles W. Deasy,
City Clerk

Attest:

Pauline C. Roberts,
Asst. City Clerk

Sixty-Seventh Annual Report

— OF —

THE BOARD OF HEALTH

OF THE

City of New Bedford

To the City Council for the Year 1946



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ANNUAL REPORT
BOARD OF HEALTH
For the Year 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL

September 25, 1947

Received and placed on file, and ordered printed
in the City Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk.

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

New Bedford, Massachusetts

May 12, 1947

To His Honor, the Mayor and
Gentlemen of the City Council:

Pursuant to provisions of Section 28 Chapter 111 (Tercenary Edition) of the General Laws, we herewith present to your honorable body the report of the activities of this department for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES D. WATSON, Chairman

M. F. SOUSA, M. D.

H. ERNEST DIONNE

Board of Health

REPORT OF AGENT

The records of the New Bedford Board of Health under date of February 11, 1907 show that "At a meeting of the Board held this day, Dr. Archibald N. Senesac was elected Medical Inspector." It is worthy of note that such a brief statement was responsible for the lengthy public service, covering a span of almost 40 years, which Dr. Senesac rendered to this city. From the date of his appointment as Medical Inspector he served in this same capacity until he became Agent and Medical Officer of the Board on August 1, 1937.

He served ably and efficiently and was never swayed by public health fads but always hewed to fundamentals. He was, furthermore, an outstanding diagnostician and authority on communicable diseases and this city lost a valuable public servant upon his retirement on July 31 of this year.

The manner of dealing with communicable diseases, in spite of our enlightened age and all of the advancements in medicine, does not appear to effectively control them as might be expected. Great emphasis has been placed upon immunization for diphtheria in the past few years yet, while there were no deaths from this disease, 14 cases occurred through the year. If the public heeded the widespread propaganda concerning the fight against this disease, it could be immediately wiped out in this community. The incidence of scarlet fever in 1946 showed an increase over the previous year of more than 300% and there was also a marked increase in cases of measles and whooping cough.

While such increases may be explained as having gone through a certain cycle, it has, nevertheless, been oftentimes demonstrated that with proper effort such increases in diseases can be avoided if adequate precautions are taken by everybody. It now appears that a fight should be directed not only against these contagious diseases but against the apathy on the part of the public toward aiding in their control.

Of considerable interest was the death of two persons within the year beyond the age of 100.

ALPHEGE A. LANDREVILLE,
Agent

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The following is the record of deaths and mortality rates since 1889:

Year	Deaths	Rate	Population
1890	775	18.9 +	41,000
1891	960	21.8 +	*44,000
1892	973	21.62	45,000
1893	1070	23.77	45,000
1894	1037	21.18	49,000
1895	1055	19.09	*55,251
1896	1192	20.91	57,000
1897	1275	21.98	58,000
1898	1111	18.33	59,000
1899	1161	19.35	60,000
1900	1285	20.57	*62,442
1901	1236	19.08	64,826
1902	1331	19.80	67,210
1903	1590	22.84	69,594
1904	1347	18.71	71,978
1905	1275	17.14	*74,326
1906	1333	16.85	79,078
1907	1546	18.38	84,102
1908	1579	17.79	88,591
1909	1594	17.12	*93,093
1910	1817	18.79	*96,652
1911	1730	16.94	102,098
1912	1655	15.86	104,302
1913	1673	15.52	107,766
1914	1750	16.05	109,000
1915	1719	15.67	*109,652
1916	1810	15.31	118,158
1917	1785	15.1 +	118,158
1918	2905	24.28 +	119,577
1919	1626	13.25	122,695
1920	1749	14.42 +	121,217
1921	1380	11.38	125,012
1922	1560	12.23 +	127,542
1923	1583	11.6 +	135,457
1924	1342	9.79	136,966
1925	1392	10.3	135,132
1926	1505	11.9 +	126,242
1927	1305	10.76	121,410
1928	1354	11.40	118,737

Year	Deaths	Rate	Population
1929	1349	11.96	112,693
1930	1239	10.98	* 112,804
1931	1349	11.72 +	112,804
1932	1247	11.5	112,804
1933	1324	12.03	110,056
1934	1260	11.87 +	113,638
1935	1269	11.53	110,022
1936	1310	11.9 +	110,022
1937	1270	11.4	111,200
1938	1245	11.1	111,643
1939	1287	11.5	111,521
1940	1209	10.7	112,685
1941	1252	11.3	* 110,341
1942	1244	10.9	113,614
1943	1315	11.4	115,057
1944	1204	10.4	115,179
1945	1233	11.1	110,535
1946	1244	11.2	110,658

THE NEWLY BORN

	Births	Number Reported by Midwives	Visits by O. N. Nurse	Cases of Ophthal. Neon.	Cases of Supp. Conj.
January.....	132	0	0	0	0
February.....	116	0	0	0	1
March.....	120	0	1	0	6
April.....	115	0	6	1	1
May.....	179	0	8	0	3
June.....	148	0	5	1	1
July.....	147	0	15	0	8
August.....	234	0	4	0	3
September.....	192	0	5	0	5
October.....	186	0	3	0	2
November.....	240	0	4	0	5
December.....	245	0	3	0	2
Total	2,054	0	54	2	37

Birth Rate — 18.5

INFANT MORTALITY

The following record is interesting to those who are engaged in infant welfare work.

Year	Under 1 month	Year	Under 1 month
1927	98	1937	52
1928	96	1938	51
1929	62	1939	32
1930	64	1940	54
1931	90	1941	34
1932	52	1942	49
1933	58	1943	50
1934	70	1944	36
1935	57	1945	32
1936	61	1946	46

The infant mortality rate for the same period follows:

Year	Rate	Year	Rate
1927	39.9	1937	30.7
1928	40.1	1938	29.9
1929	31.3	1939	20.2
1930	32.1	1940	29.3
1931	49.0	1941	20.4
1932	30.0	1942	25.4
1933	34.8	1943	27.2
1934	39.6	1944	29.9
1935	32.7	1945	19.7
1936	34.9	1946	22.3

1946 CHILD MORTALITY

	1-2 yrs	2-3 yrs.	3-4 yrs.	4-5 yrs.	Male	Female
January	0	0	0	0	0	0
February	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	3	1	0	0	3	1
April	0	1	0	0	1	0
May	0	1	0	0	1	0
June	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	0	0	0	0	0	0
August	1	0	0	0	0	1
September	0	0	0	0	0	0
October	1	0	0	0	1	0
November	0	0	0	1	1	0
December	0	0	0	0	0	0

INFANT MORTALITY IN DETAIL — 1946

1946	Total No. Deaths	Under 1 day	1 day-2 days	2 days-3 days	3 days-1 week	1 week-2 weeks	2 weeks-3 weeks	3 weeks-1 month	1 month-2 months	2 months-3 months	3 months-6 months	6 months-9 months	9 months-1 year	Male	Female
January	5	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3
February	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2
March	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0
April	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
May	3	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	3
June	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
July	5	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	2
August	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	3	2
September	8	3	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	3
October	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	2
November	7	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5
December	12	4	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	5	7
Totals	65	21	9	3	7	3	1	2	3	2	8	3	3	35	30

UNDER ONE YEAR — 1946

Classification No.	Causes of Death 1946													Male	Female
	Under 1 day	1 day-2 days	2 days-3 days	3 days-1 week	1 week-2 weeks	2 weeks-3 weeks	3 weeks-1 month	1 month-2 months	2 months-3 months	3 months-6 months	6 months-9 months	9 months-1 year			
6. Meningococcus															
Septicemia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	
107. Broncho Pneumonia	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	2	3	1	4	7	
119a. Acute Gastro-enteritis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	3	1	
157b. Spina Bifida	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	
157e. Congenital Heart Disease	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	4	0	
157g. Congenital abdom. Hernia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
159. Prematurity	16	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10	12	
160a. Intracranial Hemorrhage	0	3	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	3	
161a. Atelectasis	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	
161b. Peritonitis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Totals	21	9	3	7	3	1	2	3	2	8	3	3	35	30	

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The infant death rate since 1893 is shown in the following table:

Year	Births	Deaths Under 1	Rate
1894	1971	338	171.48
1895	1799	330	183.43
1896	2228	466	209.15
1897	2368	420	177.32
1898	2251	375	166.59
1899	2213	343	154.99
1900	2374	424	178.60
1901	2658	361	135.81
1902	2579	425	164.79
1903	2569	442	172.05
1904	2700	423	156.66
1905	2852	400	140.25
1906	3186	432	135.59
1907	3448	544	156.61
1908	3735	509	136.27
1909	4044	543	134.27
1910	3964	689	173.81
1911	4203	589	140.13
1912	3727	552	148.10
1913	3795	536	141.23
1914	3732	534	143.08
1915	3679	495	134.55
1916	3651	485	132.84
1917	3792	495	130.55
1918	4122	760	184.33
1919	3545	414	116.88
1920	3656	428	117.07
1921	3681	346	93.99
1922	3344	345	103.01
1923	3300	347	105.1
1924	3169	247	77.94
1925	3010	241	88. +
1926	2762	285	100.3 +
1927	2433	162	66. +
1928	2391	187	78. +

Year	Births	Deaths Under 1	Rate
1929	2028	133	65. +
1930	1990	107	53.72
1931	1863	157	84.27
1932	1728	96	55.5
1933	1666	93	55.8 +
1934	1774	110	62.
1935	1738	97	55.8
1936	1745	104	59.1
1937	1699	79	46.5
1938	1703	84	49.3
1939	1579	54	34.19
1940	1841	76	41.28
1941	1659	62	37.3
1942	1929	76	39.39
1943	1837	87	47.3
1944	1590	66	41.5
1945	1620	52	32.09
1946	2054	65	31.6

CASES AND DEATHS BY MONTHS — 1946

	Diphtheria		Scarlet Fever		Typhoid Fever		Measles		Whooping Cough		Smallpox		Lobar Pneumonia		Polio-myelitis		T. B. Pulmonary & Military		T. B. Meningeal		T. B. Other Forms	
	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
January	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0
February	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	4	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	22	0	0	0	7	0	4	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	0
April	0	0	30	0	0	0	3	0	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	9	1	1	1	0	0
May	0	0	24	0	0	0	132	0	14	0	0	0	1	0	0	12	0	1	1	0	0	0
June	0	0	18	0	0	0	217	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
July	0	0	7	0	0	0	84	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	0
August	2	0	4	0	0	0	13	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	4	0	0	0	1	0
September	2	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0
October	2	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
November	1	0	25	0	0	0	12	0	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	9	4	0	0	0	0	0
December	5	0	37	0	0	0	50	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	0	206	0	0	0	532	0	106	0	0	0	13	6	5	0	80	31	3	2	1	0

CASES AND DEATHS FOR EACH YEAR SINCE 1914

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Year	Diphtheria		Scarlet Fever		Typhoid Fever		Measles		Whooping Cough		Cases Smallpox		Cases Lobar Pneumonia		Cases Poliomyelitis		Cases Pulmonary and Military T. B.		Cases Meningeal Tuberculosis		Cases Other Forms		Deaths
	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	
1915	150	26	137	7	151	21	1064	4	163	3	23	10	78	1	0	423	139	10	15	43	10		
1916	116	9	119	2	64	5	262	2	79	4	0	0	110	20	1	367	168	0	18	37	12		
1917	112	12	125	2	66	7	1055	0	65	5	0	0	118	0	0	441	140	13	32	33	11		
1918	118	19	56	2	48	10	400	2	138	7	0	0	176	11	0	435	203	14	26	37	7		
1919	144	21	161	4	17	2	792	3	83	0	0	0	52	0	1	372	142	18	23	36	8		
1920	208	34	310	3	50	13	439	2	64	4	0	0	81	0	0	344	130	23	26	26	6		
1921	295	26	225	1	21	4	35	0	148	2	0	0	72	2	2	298	123	15	16	26	13		
1922	305	23	217	4	18	0	767	2	58	1	0	0	93	15	5	259	113	18	17	45	6		
1923	45	9	78	3	5	1	1804	4	191	2	1	0	97	3	0	210	95	20	21	104	4		
1924	129	13	136	0	18	5	142	0	104	2	0	0	110	40	1	186	96	14	20	103	5		
1925	101	9	190	5	10	1	1043	7	122	5	0	0	75	27	1	203	84	7	14	88	3		
1926	115	15	476	4	12	1	693	9	117	4	0	0	103	40	0	199	94	20	23	73	3		
1927	313	19	335	2	16	4	18	0	47	0	0	0	83	33	11	201	90	13	11	38	3		
1928	255	11	92	1	9	1	531	0	182	2	0	0	84	28	8	187	97	17	19	45	7		
1929	209	9	115	1	3	0	767	2	43	0	0	0	113	40	3	150	91	7	10	25	3		
1930	156	10	94	2	3	2	57	0	25	1	0	0	75	26	0	158	76	11	11	19	3		
1931	115	9	157	1	18	2	746	0	247	3	0	0	88	36	29	135	71	7	10	14	0		
1932	77	3	380	3	3	0	16	1	71	0	0	0	79	28	1	136	67	3	5	15	0		
1933	73	6	144	3	10	2	25	0	82	2	0	0	102	40	7	151	69	1	4	40	1		
1934	26	0	197	1	9	2	738	0	191	3	0	0	66	14	3	116	50	3	3	60	2		
1935	24	0	232	1	0	2	609	1	31	0	0	0	72	30	8	109	58	3	3	82	1		
1936	16	1	100	1	8	2	40	0	50	0	0	0	93	30	6	98	45	4	4	55	4		
1937	12	1	94	1	5	0	569	0	160	0	0	0	104	28	5	127	57	4	4	17	0		
1938	3	0	54	0	6	0	119	0	174	1	0	0	54	19	1	91	34	2	1	12	2		
1939	3	0	18	0	3	0	27	0	72	1	0	0	56	16	0	97	44	2	2	13	0		
1940	1	0	34	1	3	0	614	0	42	1	0	0	40	13	0	111	47	1	1	4	0		
1941	1	0	21	0	2	0	43	0	152	0	0	0	25	13	23	80	41	3	6	6	3		
1942	1	1	0	0	0	0	507	0	35	0	0	0	32	10	6	108	38	1	1	5	1		
1943	6	1	472	0	2	0	765	1	62	1	0	0	30	10	0	115	31	2	2	2	0		
1944	14	1	16	0	1	0	168	0	132	0	0	0	29	10	1	116	35	1	1	10	0		
1945	16	1	48	0	1	1	37	0	83	0	0	0	19	12	1	85	30	3	3	0	0		

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DEATHS BY AGES — 1946

	Jan.		Feb.		Mar.		Apr.		May		June		July		Aug.		Sept.		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.		Totals	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Under 1 day..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	2	0	1	3	1	3	10	11
1-2 days	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	3
2-3 days	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
3 days-1 week..	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	2
1-2 weeks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
2-3 weeks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
3 weeks-1 mo...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0
1-2 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
2-3 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
3-6 months	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	3	0
6-9 months	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0
9 mos.-1 yr....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	0
1-2 years	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0
2-3 years	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
3-4 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4-5 years	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
5-10 years	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	9	5	0
10-15 years	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
15-20 years	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	0	0
20-25 years	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	4	0
25-30 years	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	3	0
30-35 years	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	5	0	0
35-40 years	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	3	12	7	0
40-45 years	2	1	0	1	3	1	0	3	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	1	0	3	1	3	1	0	1	15	15
45-50 years	1	1	3	1	5	4	0	1	2	2	1	3	1	2	3	1	3	3	3	0	3	2	2	1	27	2
50-55 years	4	6	5	3	4	2	3	5	2	5	3	2	6	2	4	3	6	1	2	1	5	4	6	1	50	33
55-60 years	7	5	4	1	4	1	11	4	3	2	8	2	5	4	9	6	3	5	4	6	2	8	3	73	39	0
60-65 years	12	4	8	4	11	8	4	5	6	4	7	4	5	6	6	1	10	5	6	6	3	6	8	12	86	63
65-70 years	12	10	10	4	8	3	5	10	11	4	8	2	8	8	5	4	7	1	5	5	5	10	4	94	66	0
70-75 years	10	13	7	10	4	8	5	6	4	11	2	10	8	11	3	7	7	5	10	5	3	9	8	93	8	0
75-80 years	9	8	9	4	5	7	9	8	11	6	5	7	2	5	5	7	8	5	1	6	5	4	6	8	75	7
80-85 years	3	3	5	7	7	8	3	4	6	5	5	2	2	9	2	5	5	3	2	7	4	6	6	4	50	6
85-90 years	3	7	2	4	4	6	0	0	3	2	3	2	1	2	0	2	1	4	1	1	2	7	2	3	22	4
90-95 years	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	3	1	0
95-100 years ..	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
100 yrs. & over	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total No.	136	103	116	99	100	89	103	94	96	87	95	126	124													
Male-Female	70	66	56	47	62	54	50	49	56	44	57	32	50	53	54	40	57	39	41	46	48	47	65	61	666	57
Stillborn	3	0	5	1	0	4	4	3	1	5	2	0	5	2	4	2	2	5	3	4	2	3	1	2	32	3
White	63	66	51	46	62	51	49	45	54	43	54	32	49	52	48	38	54	37	39	45	46	46	61	58	630	55
Colored	7	0	5	1	0	3	1	4	2	1	3	0	1	1	6	2	3	2	2	1	2	1	4	3	36	1
Indian	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yellow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Non-Resident ..	4	1	3	4	2	3	6	4	7	4	5	3	3	10	3	2	2	6	1	4	5	4	3	9	44	5

Population 110,658

Non-Resident 98

General Death Rate 11.2

Adjusted Death Rate 10.3

Respectfully submitted,
 HERMINE PALME,
 Clerk

WORK OF THE YEAR BY MONTHS — 1946

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CAUSE OF DEATH	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
I. Infectious and Parasitic Diseases													
Diseases Due to Bacteria													
6. Cerebrospinal (meningococcus) meningitis											1		1
13. Tuberculosis of the respiratory system (including the bronchiol and mediastinal lymph nodes)													
b. Without mention of occupational disease of the lungs	1	2	4	1		1	4	4	2	4	4	3	30
14. Tuberculosis of the meninges and central nervous system				1		1							2
22. Disseminated tuberculosis													
a. Acute (generalized) miliary tuberculosis										1			1
24. Septicemia and purulent infection (non-puerperal)													
a. Septicemia			1			1					1	1	4
Diseases Due to Spirochetes													
30. Syphilis													
b. General paralysis of the insane	1												1
d. Aneurysm of the Aorta						2							2
g. Other and unspecified forms of syphilis	1												1
Diseases due to Filtrable Viruses													
33. Influenze (Grippe)													
b. Without respiratory complications specified												1	1
II. Cancer and Other Tumors													
Cancer and other Malignant Tumors													
45. Cancer of the buccal cavity and pharynx													
b. Tongue							1						1
d. Jaw bone	1								2			1	4
46. Cancer of the digestive organs and peritoneum													
a. Esophagus	1	1											2
b. Stomach	2	1	2	2	4	1	3	2	4	1	1	6	29
c. Duodenum											1		1
d. Rectum and anus				1	1			1	1	1	3		8
e. Intestines (except duodenum and rectum)	3	1	4	1	1	2	1	3	2	1	2	1	22
f. Liver and biliary passages	1					1		1	1	1	1		6
g. Pancreas	2			1	1	3	1		1	1		2	12
m. Other and unspecified sites		1							1				2

CAUSE OF DEATH		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
II.	Continued.													
47.	Cancer of the respiratory system													
a.	Larynx							2		1				3
c.	Bronchus										2			2
d.	Lung			1	1			2				2	3	9
48.	Cancer of the uterus													
a.	Cervix			1			1	1				2	1	6
b.	Other and unspecified sites	2	1	1			2			1				7
49.	Cancer of other female genital organs													
a.	Ovary			1				1			1			3
d.	Vulva			1										1
50.	Cancer of the breast		1	1	2					2		1	1	8
51.	Cancer of the male genital organs													
b.	Prostate		1		1					2	1	1		6
c.	Testes												1	1
52.	Cancer of the urinary organs (male and female)													
a.	Kidney								1		1			2
b.	Bladder	1	1	1	1						1		2	7
53.	Cancer of the Skin (except vulva and scrotum)							1						1
54.	Cancer of the brain and other parts of the central nervous system (including glioma, except when specified as benign)													
a.	Glioma			1										1
55.	Cancer of other and unspecified organs													
e.	Other and unspecified organs	1	3			2				2			2	10
Nonmalignant Tumors and Tumors of Unspecified Nature														
56.	Nonmalignant tumors (including dermoid cysts)													
d.	Brain and other parts of the central nervous system						1							1
57.	Tumors of unspecified nature													
d.	Brain and other parts of central nervous system									1	1		1	3
e.	Other and unspecified organs					1				1				2
III.	Rheumatism, Diseases of Nutrition and of the Endocrine Glands, Other General Diseases and Avitaminoses													
	Rheumatic Diseases													
Diseases of Nutrition and of the Endocrine Glands and Other General Diseases														
61.	Diabetes mellitus	2	1	1		1	3	2	2		4	7	3	26

CAUSE OF DEATH	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
II. Continued													
63. Diseases of the thyroid and parathyroid glands													
a. Simple goiter	1												1
b. Exophthalmic goiter												1	1
d. Other diseases of the thyroid glands			1										1
66. Other general diseases													
b. Other general diseases						1							1
Avitaminoses													
69. Pellagra (except alcoholic)											1		1
IV. Diseases of the Blood and Blood-Forming Organs													
73. Anemias (except splenic anemia)													
a. Pernicious Anemia			2				1				1		4
d. Other and unspecified anemias)....		1									1		2
74. Leukemias and aleukemias													
a. Leukemias							1		1	1		1	4
V. Chronic Poisoning and Intoxication													
77. Alcoholism (ethylism)													
c. Acute alcoholism								1					1
e. Other and unspecified alcoholism....				1			1						2
78. Lead poisoning													
b. Not specified as occupational			1										1
VI. Diseases of the Nervous System and Sense Organs													
80. Encephalitis (non-epidemic)													
b. Other encephalitis (non-epidemic)								1					1
81. Meningitis (not due to meningococcus)													
a. Simple meningitis												1	1
82. Diseases of the spinal cord except locomotor ataxia and disseminated sclerosis)													
.....		1											1
83. Intracranial lesions of vascular origin													
a. Cerebral hemorrhage or effusion (excluding birth injuries)	12	13	15	14	13	6	3	8	9	7	6	13	119
b. Cerebral embolism and thrombosis unspecified origin	3	3	3	1	5	2	11	2	1	1	1	3	36
84. Mental diseases and deficiency (except general paralysis of the insane)													
a. Mental deficiency							1						1

CAUSE OF DEATH		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
VI. Continued														
85.	Epilepsy			1		1								2
87.	Other diseases of the nervous system													
c.	Paralysis agitans (except result of encephalitis)								1					1
e.	Other diseases of the nervous system							1				1		2
VII. Diseases of the Circulatory System														
91.	Acute endocarditis (except rheumatic)													
b.	Other acute or subacute endocarditis								1					1
92.	Chronic affections of the valves and endocardium													
a.	Diseases of the aortic valve (without mention of diseases of the mitral valve or rheumatic fever)			1										1
b.	Diseases of the mitral valve (whether or not specified as rheumatic)		3	1	1								3	8
d.	Diseases of other and unspecified valves and chronic endocarditis not specified as rheumatic	1	1	1								2		5
93.	Diseases of the myocardium													
a.	Acute myocarditis (except rheumatic)			2	1	1					2			6
d.	Chronic Myocarditis and myocardial degeneration, not specified as rheumatic	24	17	13	10	13		9	11	8	8	7	12	132
e.	Other myocarditis (not specified as acute, chronic or rheumatic)	3	3			1	7		3		2			19
94.	Diseases of the coronary arteries and angina pectoris													
a.	Diseases of the coronary arteries	20	12	15	24	17	18	23	18	19	17	15	18	216
b.	Angina pectoris								2					2
95.	Other diseases of the heart													
a.	Functional diseases of the heart without mention of organic lesion)					1							1	2
b.	Other diseases of the heart, specified as rheumatic.	1		1	1		1			1	1			6
c.	Other diseases of the heart not specified as rheumatic	3	1	3	2	2	5	2	1	3	1	1	1	25
97.	Arteriosclerosis (except coronary or renal sclerosis)	7	7	12	5	6	2	6	7	7	3	12	17	91
98.	Gangrene					1					1			2
100.	Diseases of the veins													
b.	Other diseases of the veins						1							1

CAUSE OF DEATH		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
VIII. Diseases of the Respiratory System														
106.	Bronchitis													
	a. Acute	1												1
	b. Chronic			1										1
	c. Unspecified				1									1
107.	Bronchopneumonia (including capillary bronchitis)													
108.	Lobar Pneumonia	9	7	7	7	3	4	5	2	1	4	3	6	58
111.	Hemorrhagic infarction, thrombosis, edema, and chronic congestion of the lungs	2		2	1						1			6
	a. Hemorrhagic infarction and thrombosis of the lungs	2		1	1	2		1	1		1	1		10
	b. Acute edema of the lungs	1					1			1				3
	c. Chronic and unspecified congestion of lungs						1							1
112.	Asthma	1			1				2	2			1	7
IX. Diseases of the Digestive System														
117.	Ulcer of stomach or duodenum													
	a. Stomach								1			1		2
	b. Duodenum												1	1
119.	Diarrhea, enteritis, and ulceration of the intestines (under 2 years of age)													
	a. Diarrhea and enteritis		1		1			1	1					4
120.	Diarrhea, enteritis and ulceration of the intestines (2 years of age and over)													
	a. Diarrhea and enteritis				1				1					2
121.	Appendicitis	1											1	2
122.	Hernia and intestinal obstruction													
	a. Hernia			1						1			1	3
	b. Intestinal obstruction	1	1			2	1	2						7
123.	Other diseases of the intestines				1			1						2
124.	Cirrhosis of the liver													
	a. With mention of alcoholism	1				1								2
	b. Without mention of alcoholism	2	1	1		1	2	1			4			12
126.	Biliary calcule									1				1
127.	Other diseases of the gall-bladder and biliary ducts													
	a. Cholecystitis (without mention of biliary calculus)	1	1					1						3
129.	Peritonitis (cause not stated)	3					1					1		5
X. Diseases of the Genitourinary System														
130.	Acute nephritis	1			1	2	1		2					7
131.	Chronic nephritis													
	a. Arteriosclerotic kidney	1	2		1	1	1		1		2	2	1	12
	b. Other chronic nephritis	2	1	1				2		2		2	1	11

CAUSE OF DEATH		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
132.	Nephritis unspecified (10 years of age and over) .....	.....	2	.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	3	1	1	1	12
133.	Other diseases of the kidneys and ureters (except diseases associated with pregnancy, childbirth or the puerperium) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Pyelitis, pyelonephritis and pyelocystitis) .....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
	b. Other diseases of the kidneys and ureters .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3
134.	Calculi of the urinary passages .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Kidneys and ureters .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
137.	Diseases of the prostate .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Hypertrophy of the prostate .....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	.....	.....	4
	b. Other diseases of the prostate .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
XII. Diseases of the Skin and Cellular Tissue														
153.	Other diseases of the skin and cellular tissue .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
XIII. Diseases of the Bones and Organs of Movement														
156.	Diseases of the joints and other organs of movement .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Diseases of the joints (except tuberculosis and rheumatism) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
XIV. Congenital Malformations														
157.	Congenital malformations (stillbirths not included) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Congenital malformations of the central nervous system .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Congenital hydrocephalus .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
	b. Spina bifida and meningocele .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
	c. Congenital malformations of the heart .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
	g. Congenital malformations of the digestive system .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
XV. Diseases Peculiar to the First Year of Life														
158.	Congenital debility (cause not stated) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	4
159.	Premature birth (cause not stated)	3	1	1	.....	3	3	1	1	2	.....	3	4	22
160.	Injury at birth .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Intracranial or spinal hemorrhage .....	.....	1	2	1	2	.....	.....	1	1	1	1	1	11
161.	Other diseases peculiar to the first year of life
	a. Asphyxia (cause not specified), atelectasis	1	2	2	2	7

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CAUSE OF DEATH		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
XVI. Senility														
162.	Senility b. Senility without mention of senile dementia	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
XVII. Violent or Accidental Deaths														
Suicide														
163.	Suicide by poisoning g. Other solid or liquid poisons .....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
	Suicide by poisonous gases .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	h. Illuminating gas	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	6
164.	Suicide by other means	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Suicide by hanging or strangulation .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
	c. Suicide by firearms and explosives .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
	d. Suicide by cutting or piercing instruments .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
	e. Suicide by jumping from high places .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
168.	Homicide by other means .....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Accidental Deaths														
170.	Motor-vehicle accidents	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	c. Automobile accidents (except collisions with trains or street cars .....	.....	2	.....	3	1	†1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	9
178.	Accidental absorption of poisonous gas	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Illuminating gas	1	1	1	.....	1	1	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
180.	Conflagration .....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
181.	Accidental burns (except conflagration) .....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3
183.	Accidental drowning .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	2	.....	1	.....	.....	6
195.	Other accidents	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	e. Other and unspecified accidents.....	4	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	1	2	1	2	26
XVIII. Ill-Defined and Unknown Causes														
199.	Sudden deaths .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
200.	Ill-defined and unknown causes	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	a. Ill-defined .....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	6
	c. Unknown or unspecified cause.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
TOTALS		136	103	116	99	100	89	103	94	96	87	95	126	1244

†One auto death in June occurred out of town.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMINE PALME, Clerk.

DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

January 27, 1947

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1946.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS

	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Total
<i>Work of Medical Inspectors</i>				
Physical Examinations	743	689	692	2124
Number with defects.....	163	162	282	607
Throat Examinations	756	1583	649	2988
Enlarged tonsils and adenoids	109	330	182	621

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SCHOOL WORK — YEAR 1946

	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Total
<i>Enrollment</i>	1452	1553	1492	4497

Work of Nurses

Visits to Schools	377	347	350	1074
Class Room Inspections	6497	4115	3662	14274
Eyes Tested	1240	1771	1018	4029
Found Defective	71	175	123	369
Health Talks	193	256	337	786
Number Underweight	121	177	292	590
Referred to Clinics—				
Physicians	85	469	613	1167

Visits to Homes

Physical Defects	103	52	7	162
Sickness	45	13	6	64
Miscellaneous	55	0	8	63

Defects Corrected

Eyes	59	70	68	197
Ears	0	2	1	3
T & A	48	53	35	136
Teeth	305	278	9	592
Nutrition	1	169	26	196

CHILD WELFARE DEPARTMENT — YEAR 1946

CHILD WELFARE WORK

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Visits:													
To Homes	1107	1156	1132	1122	1086	888	982	843	529	516	467	202	10030
To Children													
Under 1 yr.	464	360	424	439	373	354	426	352	227	276	235	197	4127
1 to 2 yrs.	327	322	291	350	302	247	261	191	124	114	111	81	2721
2 to 5 yrs.	856	874	848	868	815	689	803	613	370	319	296	275	7626
5 to 6 yrs.	38	38	34	62	52	60	82	68	31	29	31	34	559
Total	1685	1594	1597	1719	1542	1350	1572	1224	752	738	673	587	15033

TUBERCULOSIS WORK

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Visits													
To Homes	115	105	85	135	81	35	59	47	52	19	33	30	796
To Patients													
Pulmonary	84	62	52	84	60	34	39	38	41	28	25	21	568
Glands	1	3	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	11
Suspicious	21	18	19	21	19	4	16	7	6	7	3	4	145
Other Forms	37	21	34	50	25	10	16	13	29	26	11	6	278
Contacts	83	68	39	78	63	8	20	27	31	43	21	17	498
Misc.	9	14	11	9	9	3	6	13	5	5	1	3	88
Total	235	186	159	242	176	60	98	99	112	109	61	51	1588

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE WORK

Visits:	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
<i>To Homes</i>	50	42	80	94	229	326	134	45	28	46	75	149	1298
<i>To Patients</i>													
Chicken Pox	12	7	11	18	68	36	8	3	1	2	15	16	197
Diphtheria	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	5	2	18
Measles	3	2	11	9	97	245	98	19	7	10	10	39	550
Scarlet Fever	27	29	54	82	81	62	27	12	9	28	47	87	545
Whooping Cough	14	5	12	14	10	26	25	13	12	13	11	16	171
Mumps	3	1	4	6	3	2	0	0	4	0	3	2	28
Total	62	46	92	129	259	371	158	48	35	56	91	162	1509

CHILD WELFARE CLINICS — YEAR 1946

	St. Andrews	City Mission DeValles	Washburn	Center	Total	
<i>No. of Clinics</i>	52	51	49	49	50	251
<i>Total Attendance:</i>						
Under 2 years	446	695	380	400	437	2358
Over 2 years	41	141	36	133	41	392
Total	487	836	416	533	478	2750
<i>Babies Attending:</i>						
Under 2 years	103	150	90	123	134	600
Over 2 years	20	50	16	58	23	167
Total	123	200	106	181	157	767
<i>New Babies:</i>						
Under 2 years	75	112	69	92	114	462
Over 2 years	11	12	8	11	6	48
Total	86	124	77	103	120	510
<i>Seen by Physician:</i>						
Physicals	71	91	53	90	105	410
Feedings	92	75	58	107	147	479
Miscellaneous	34	38	10	42	46	170
Total	197	204	121	239	298	1059
<i>Defects Found:</i>						
Phimosis	11	26	9	13	27	86
Umb. Hernia	28	41	24	30	59	182
Skin	1	8	0	4	6	19
T & A	3	1	0	5	4	13
Bronchitis	1	0	0	1	1	3
Cervical Adenitis	0	1	0	1	0	2
Tongue Tie	0	0	1	0	0	1
Glands	0	0	0	1	0	1
Miscellaneous	0	0	0	1	0	1
Hydrocele	0	0	0	0	1	1
Eyes	0	0	0	0	4	4

VACCINATIONS

Smallpox:

Number Vaccinated	1189
Number Re-vaccinated	8

INOCULATIONS

Diphtheria:

Number given three doses	577
Number given less than 3 doses	84

Respectfully submitted,

ISABEL G. FITZGERALD, R. N.,
Supervisor, Public Health Nurses

REPORT OF THE PAROCHIAL SCHOOL PHYSICIAN — 1946

List of Diseases Found in the Schools	Holy Family	Holy Rosary	Polish	Sacred Heart	St. Anthony	St. John Academy	St. Kilian	7th Day Adventist	Total
Acne	2	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	9
Bronchial Asthma	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Cardiac Defects	13	3	4	7	10	1	2	2	42
Carious Teeth	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cervical Adenitis	7	25	16	11	34	3	17	5	118
Diseased Tonsils	80	41	97	149	209	56	87	11	730
Heart Defects	14	3	4	7	28	1	2	2	61
Impetigo	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Scabies	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	3
Torticollis (congenital)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Urticaria	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals.....	119	72	129	177	282	61	108	21	969

Number of Pupils Examined in the Schools	2420
Number Recommended to be Sent Home	6
Number of Consultations with teachers (about pupils, returning to school, etc.)	6

Respectfully submitted,

J. GENNERT, M. D.

School Physician.

REPORT OF PAROCHIAL SCHOOL PHYSICIAN — 1946

List of Diseases Found in the Schools	Holy Name	Mt. Carmel	St. Anne	St. Hyacinth	St. Joseph	St. Mary	St. Theresa	Total
Bronchial Asthma	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Cardiac Defects	3	7	6	1	17	8	3	45
Cervical Adenitis	18	14	9	5	28	14	0	88
Chest Deformity	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Ear Condition	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Flat Feet	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Gland Condition	19	7	5	1	7	5	26	70
Impetigo	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Rashes	0	4	0	1	12	0	0	17
Scoliosis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Tachycardia	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Thyroid	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Tonsils and Adenoids	37	20	25	9	113	25	31	260
Total.....	80	53	46	17	183	52	60	491
Number of Physical Examinations in Schools								1475
Number of Throat Examinations in Schools								1529

Respectfully submitted,

MAX BLUM, M. D.
School Physician.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL REPORT

To the Board of Health,
New Bedford, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the hospital for the year ending December 31, 1946:

Number of patients in hospital January 1, 1946.....	0
Number of patients admitted during year	54
Number of patients who remained December 31.....	4
Number of patients discharged	50
Average daily population	0.66
Number of deaths	0
Scarlet Fever — patient days	157
Diphtheria — patient days	44
Syphilis — patient days	41
(referred for lumbar punctures)	

Total Patient Days	242

A hospital of this type must be prepared at all times to take care of any epidemic which might arise, so arrangements have been made to modernize the west wing. When these changes are completed, there will be hot and cold water in all patients' rooms, a new diet kitchen, a new treatment room and additional hospital equipment, all of which will aid the medical and nursing staffs in their aim to give the patient the best possible care.

The Isolation Hospital wishes to express its appreciation to the Mayor, the Board of Health and the Building Department for their recognition of the necessity for these changes.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE A. GORMAN, R. N.

Hospital Supervisor

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MILK

New Bedford, Mass.,

January 2, 1947

To the Board of Health:

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1946.

LICENSES ISSUED

Milk Dealers	35
Stores, Restaurants, etc.	588
Oleomargarine	163
Frozen Dessert	8
Pasteurizing Plants	7

RECORD OF MILK DEALERS

Number selling Certified Milk	2
Number selling Special Milk Pasteurized	1
Number selling Grade A Pasteurized.....	9
Number selling Milk Pasteurized	35
Pasteurizing Plants serving City	33

RECORD OF ICE CREAM PLANTS

Number Manufacturing Retail	8
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RECORD OF INSPECTIONS

Milk Pasteurizing Plants	449
Ice Cream Plants	38
Dairy Farms	807
Miscellaneous	366

BOARD OF HEALTH

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SAMPLES SUBMITTED TO LABORATORY

	Official	Unofficial	Total
<i>Pasteurized Milk</i>			
Certified	14	0	14
Special	13	0	13
Grade A	79	1	80
Regular	333	24	357
Homogenized and Vitamin D.....	41	0	41
<i>Raw Milk</i>			
Certified	8	0	8
Special	0	0	0
Grade A	0	0	0
Regular	0	76	76
Cream	136	6	142
Ice Cream	2	0	2
Sterility	5	0	5
Total.....	631	107	738

LABORATORY EXAMINATIONS

	Milk	Cream	Ice Cream	Milk Bev.	Total
<i>Bacteriological</i>					
Plate Count	532	202	0	0	734
Micro Exams	794	152	0	0	946
Sterility	6	0	0	0	6
Coli	192	95	0	0	287
Manural Rods and Spores.....	31	0	0	0	31
<i>Chemical</i>					
Fat	622	155	2	0	779
Total Solids	500	1	4	0	505
Phosphatase	532	136	2	0	670
Physical	100	0	0	0	100
Total	3309	741	8	0	4058

SAMPLES NOT COMPLYING TO LEGAL STANDARDS

	Phosphatase	Bacteria	Fat	T. Solids	Total
Milk	25	139	46	59	269
Cream	10	64	3	0	77
Ice Cream	0	0	0	0	0
Total.....	35	203	49	59	346

MILK AVERAGES FOR 1946

	Fat	Total Solids	Bacteria
Certified Milk			
Raw	4.28	13.58	12,000
Pasteurized	4.08	13.10	340
Special Pasteurized	3.65	12.31	6,000
Grade A Pasteurized	4.10	13.05	2,500
Regular Pasteurized	3.57	12.27	11,500
Hom. & Vit. D, Past.	3.77	12.53	5,000

RECORD OF FARMS

Farms Producing Milk for City	267
Farms Producing Milk for City, as of Dec. 31, 1946.....	229
Producer's Permits Refused	0
Producer's Permits Revoked	0
Producer's Permits Suspended	0
Milk Excluded from Farms (Temporary)	3
Milk Excluded from Farms (Permanent)	0
Cows Excluded for Infected Udders	3
Prosecutions	0

CASH RECEIPTS

Milk Licenses — Dealers	\$ 17.50
Milk Licenses — Stores, Restaurants, etc.	294.00
Oleomargarine Licenses	81.50
Frozen Dessert Licenses	40.00
Pasteurizing Licenses	70.00
Samples (Unofficial)	19.20
Total	<hr/> \$522.20

Respectfully yours,

ALPHEGE LANDREVILLE,
Agent and Inspector of Milk and Provisions

REPORT OF THE NEW BEDFORD COOPERATING CLINIC

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 1, 1947

To the Board of Health:

I herewith submit my report as Chief of the New Bedford Cooperating Clinic for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Number of patients examined	868
Number of new patients	492
New admissions syphilis	109
New admissions gonorrhea	135
Readmissions	24
Number of patients discharged	
Probably cured	221
Transferred to other care	56
Non-infected	220
Number of visits for treatment and advice	8,605
Number of arsenical treatments	1,824
Number of blood tests	1,495
Number of smears for gonococcus	934
Number of cultures for gonococcus	822

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. NELSON, M. D.

Chief of Clinic

REPORT OF OCULIST

New Bedford, Mass., Feb. 28, 1947

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

The following is the oculist's report for the year 1946:

	Visits
Simple Conjunctivitis	95
Suppurative Conjunctivitis	162
Congenital Atresia	21
Chemical Conjunctivitis	10
No Disease	2
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	21
Traumatic Conjunctivitis	3
Total Visits	314

Very truly yours,

A. L. BRUNELLE, M.D.,

Oculist

REPORT OF THE BACTERIOLOGIST

New Bedford, Mass., Feb. 18, 1947

To the Board of Health,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1946:

Diphtheria:

Whole number of cultures examined	104
Whole number of cultures positive	24
Whole number of cultures negative	74
Whole number of cultures unsatisfactory	6

Pulmonary T. B.:

Whole number of specimens examined	30
Whole number of specimens positive	5
Whole number of specimens negative	20
Whole number of specimens unsatisfactory	5

Gonococcus:

Whole number	24
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Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD E. PERRY, M.D.,

Bacteriologist

REPORT OF T. B. CLINIC

New Bedford, Mass.,
May 28, 1947

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my annual report as Chief of the T. B. Clinic for the year 1946:

Number of Patients examined	1,390
Number of New Cases at Clinic	253
Number Re-examinations	1,137
Number New Pulmonary Cases	32
Number Suspicious Cases	11
Not Tuberculosis	34
Sanatorium Treatment advised	39
X-Rays advised	605

Report of School Clinic for 1946

Number enrolled in Public Schools	0
Number tested in Public Schools	0
Number X-Rayed in Public Schools	0
Number enrolled in Parochial Schools	0
Number tested in Parochial Schools	0
Number X-Rayed in Parochial Schools	0

Respectfully submitted,

HUBERT A. BOYLE,
Chief of Clinic

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

To the Board of Health,
Gentlemen:

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 10, 1947

I herewith submit the report of the activities of the Plumbing Inspection Division for the year ending December 31, 1946:

Inspections of Plumbing	4,317
Inspections of Domestic Hot Water Heating and Storage Devices	411
Investigation of complaints resulting from nuisances created by insanitary conditions	237
Number of Fixtures installed:	
Bath Tubs	360
Water Closets	835
Lavatories	747
Sinks (kitchen)	523
Slop Sinks	4
Sink and Tray (combination)	16
Bar Sinks	4
Chemical Sinks	14
Developing Sinks	3
Wash Trays	48
Urinals	40
Shower Baths	64
Dental Chairs	16
Soda Fountains	25
Dish Washing Machines	4
Clothes Washing Machines	63
Drinking Fountains	42
Garbage Disposal Units	5
Grease Interceptors	21
Potato Machines	6
Floor Drains	169
Miscellaneous Drains	43
Conductors	48
Boilers and Storage Systems	180
Electric Hot Water Systems	5
Gas Water Heaters	80
Oil Water Heaters	5
Tankless Heaters	23
Coils, Direct and Indirect Heating Units	13
Safety Valves	199

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST G. PARKER,
Inspector of Plumbing

REPORT OF DENTAL CLINIC

New Bedford, Mass., May 15, 1947

To the Board of Health,

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit the report of the Board of Health Dental Clinic for the year 1946:

Amalgam Fillings	2,984
Copper Amalgam Fillings	326
Cement Fillings	122
Zinc Oxide Fillings	107
Cement Linings	291
Zinc Oxide Linings	17
Misc. Treatments	78
Temporary Teeth extracted	968
Permanent Teeth extracted	297
Prophylaxis Treatments	1,399
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Total number of services	6,589
Total number of patients	1,402

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH N. FINNI, D.M.D.,
Dental Clinic Director

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF GARBAGE PLANT

New Bedford, Mass., May 19, 1947

To the Board of Health,

City of New Bedford, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Report the following amounts of Garbage and Rubbish collected and incinerated for year ending December 31, 1947.

20,416 tons

558 dead animals

Respectfully submitted,

AUSTIN M. THRESHER,
Superintendent of Garbage Plant

EXPENDITURES

1946

	General Expenses	Salaries and Wages	Total
Administration	\$ 912.64	\$10,327.63	\$ 11,240.27
Contagious Diseases	860.48	4,150.00	5,010.48
Infant Welfare	663.40	10,937.38	11,600.78
Isolation Hospital	2,715.37	8,109.20	10,824.57
Milk and Provisions	881.77	7,676.42	8,558.19
Parochial Schools	161.86	5,680.01	5,841.87
Sanitation	1,060.31	9,795.86	10,856.17
T. B. Care and T. B. Clinic	140,849.02	3,668.28	144,517.30
	<hr/> \$148,104.85	<hr/> \$60,344.78	<hr/> \$208,449.63
Dental Clinic	549.17	6,665.77	7,214.94
Garbage Collection	6,856.36	103,353.26	110,209.62
Garbage Disposal	8,092.36	29,587.95	37,680.31
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Total	\$163,602.74	\$199,951.76	\$363,554.50

REIMBURSEMENTS

Contagious Disease (State)	\$ 7,828.53
Isolation Hospital	469.29
Plumbing Regulation Books	12.00
T. B. Subsidies	23,444.92
Licenses	684.50
Alcohol	\$18.00
Bottling	80.00
Camp .....	.50
Day Nursery	5.00
Fish Offal	48.00
Frozen Dessert	40.00
Massage	30.00
Milk	311.50
Oleomargarine	81.50
Pasteurizing	70.00
Laboratory Tests	19.20
Total	\$32,458.44

Respectfully submitted,

ALPHEGE LANDREVILLE,

Agent

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

**INSPECTOR OF WIRES
POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM
STREET LIGHTS**

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

For the Year 1946



BRADBURY-WARING, INC. — *Printers*

1947

Annual Report

New Bedford, Massachusetts

March 27, 1947.

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the annual reports of the departments of the Inspector of Wires, Street Lights and the Police Signal System from January 1, 1946 to and including December 31, 1946.

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

The number of inspections this year reached a total of 8,759, an increase of 907 over 1945.

At the request of the State Department of Public Welfare, Division of Aid and Relief, the department has inspected the electrical wiring in 18 homes where aged people are living. Reports of the defects found were sent to the owners of these buildings and in all cases the defects were corrected. The result was that many conditions which might have caused fires in these homes were eliminated.

The State Board of Registration of Hairdressers will not issue a license to any new beauty parlor, unless they first receive a certificate of approval for the electrical wiring issued by this department. This is another step to safeguard life and property from electrical hazards.

A total of 78 jobs were inspected where emergency lighting was installed. The existing wiring was also inspected and the defects were remedied.

Mr. William Bailey underwent a major operation in May and returned in August. Mr. Bailey is the real veteran of the department, having been on the job for over 32 years.

Mr. Rudolph Maynard was employed as a substitute in June, but due to the increase in requests for inspections, was retained until the end of the year.

The area approved for the removal of overhead wires was Brock Ave., from West Rodney Fr. Blvd. to Ricketson St. However, nothing was done by either the N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co. or the N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. up to the end of the year.

Inspections after fires increased over 1945 to 166, an increase of 39.

Each senior from the Vocational High School Electrical Dept. spent a week in the department before graduating. Each young man had the opportunity to accompany the inspectors in their daily inspections. Arrangements for the program was arranged with Principal Mackintosh, Mr. Taber, head of the electrical department and myself. The boys all welcomed the opportunity and I am sure all benefited by their experience.

The following is a breakdown of the work this department has completed this year:—

Requests for inspections	4,232
Wiring new buildings	56
Wiring old buildings	61
Addl. sockets, switches, outlets and alt.	8,070
Repairing defects	554
Oil burners	614
Electric signs	234
Gasoline pumps	43
Advisory	209
Temporary work	16
Ice cream cabinets	8
Gas burners	113
Electric fixtures	5,621
Fluorescent fixtures	2,211

110V motors	664
200V motors	234
550V motors	68
Permits to contractors and owners	712
Receptacles	4,303
Transformers	392
Telephone booths	7
New meterloops	116
New services	183
Services reconnected	72
Inspections after fires	166
Inspections made	8,759
Reports of defective wiring sent to con- tractors and owners	2,643
Certificates on rough work	2,411
Permits to connect electric services issued to N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co.	3,038
Red tags	47
Emergency lighting	78
Boarding homes for aged	18

The department has also investigated and reported favorably to the City Council on 82 petitions of wire using companies, involving 107 poles, 13 relocations, 11 transfers, 23 fibre ducts, 11 removals, 3 manholes, 2 pole stubs, 8 enlarged manholes, 1232.9 feet of underground conduit and 290 feet of 3" duct. I also approved 29 applications for the moving of buildings.

The operating expenses for the year were:

General Expenses	\$ 852.77
Payrolls	12,709.41
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Total	\$13,562.18

POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM

During the year 1946 the following work has been completed on the Police Signal System:

Cable extensions have been made in Rivet St., from Orchard to Dartmouth Sts. The overhead lines were removed and underground cable was installed. One police box was installed on an iron pedestal and connected to the new underground cable at Orchard and Rivet Sts.

At Liberty and Kempton Sts., underground conduit and cable was installed for a distance of 300 feet.

Cable extensions was made for a distance of 2,196 feet which allowed the removal of 1,585 feet of overhead lines. Cable repairs were made in six different locations.

Underground cable has been replaced for a distance of 1,065 feet. Line construction has been transferred to seven new poles and twenty other line jobs have been accomplished.

Thirty-six Central Station repairs have been made and one new battery has been installed.

The traffic lights at County and Union Sts. required seven repair jobs.

Two new police boxes were purchased and installed to replace boxes worn out in service. One box was sent to the Gamewell Factory and completely rebuilt. Five of our present boxes have been taken down and reconditioned.

The boxes in service have required thirty-two repairs and forty-seven box inspections were made. Two of the boxes were relocated on new poles and one reset on a new iron pedestal.

There are ninety-two boxes on the system connected to two switchboards, one at Central Police Headquarters and the other at Police Station No. 5 at Weld St.

The operating expenses for the year were:

General Expenses	\$1,904.81
Payrolls	4,516.83
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Total	\$6,421.64

STREET LIGHTS

On January 31st the new Plainville Road was lighted. Mayor Harriman threw the switch which lighted this new stretch of road. Councillors Fortin and Williams attended the ceremonies along with Mr. Winslow of the N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co. and myself.

This year 40 - 100 C. P. and 9 - 250 C. P. lights were ordered installed in different sections of the City.

While there were less street lights broken this year, the total still remains high at 1,423. \$254.47 was spent this year as the City's share to cover the cost of these broken lights.

The new street lights which are to replace the present ones on Brock Ave., the prescribed area for 1946, will be of a more modern type than we now have in the center of the City.

All street lighting in the center and both business sections of the north and south ends of the City should be replaced with a newer type as soon as conditions and deliveries permit.

New residential sections will have to be lighted in 1947 as soon as streets are accepted and buildings are erected.

There are still a great number of our street lights which are shaded by trees. Trees should be trimmed every year so that we may receive the full benefit of our street lights.

In order to conserve coal during the coal strike, 66 lights in the center were disconnected for 12 days.

At the end of the year there were 4,534 street lights in the City and the cost per year is as follows:

2,128	100 C. P. overhead	\$14.40
927	250 C. P. overhead	23.88
32	250 C. P. underground (Hawthorne St.)	23.88
1,070	250 C. P. underground	31.20
36	400 C. P. overhead	35.28
259	400 C. P. underground	42.72
82	600 C. P. underground	54.36

Expenses of this department for the year were:

General Expenses	\$103,803.22
Payrolls	1,000.00
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Total	\$104,803.22

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER E. MONT

Inspector of Wires,
Supt. of Street Lights,
Supt. of Police Signal System

ANNUAL REPORT

Inspector of Wires, Superintendent of Police Signal System
and Superintendent of Street Lights.

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

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(s) CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk.

The Ninety-Fourth Annual Report

OF THE

TRUSTEES

OF THE

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year 1946

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JULIA C. GIFFORD	Term expires April 1949
REV. LINDEN H. WHITE	Term expires April 1949

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**Retired

***Defense Work

Trustees' Report

To the Honorable, the City Council of the City of New Bedford, Mass.

The Trustees present their Ninety-fourth Annual Report to the City Council in the Report of the Librarian, which has been adopted by the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES,

WILLIAM T. O'ROURKE,

Clerk of the Board

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of the Free Public Library:

I herewith submit for your approval the Ninety-fourth Annual Report of the New Bedford Free Public Library.

CIRCULATION AND REGISTRATION

In spite of sizeable gains in circulation during the early months of the year and again in December, the Saturday closings for fuel conservation during two periods at the Main Library and the complete closing of West Branch for nearly a month because of repairs to the heating system, brought about a loss of approximately 6500 in total circulation of books for the year as compared with 1945. If it had not been for these forced closings the figure of 386,744 would have been more than increased to the 400,000 mark. The number of registered borrowers for the year was 17,041, some 1600 less than 1945.

In her report, the Head of the Circulation Department points out that there should be more copies available of titles requested on the reserve list. This of course cannot be accomplished with present inadequate book funds.

The Extension Service, begun in December, will provide loan collections for hospitals and rest homes, and deliveries of books by Girl Scouts to invalids in their own homes. The service at St. Luke's Hospital circulated 5,988 books during the year and the Presidential Heights and Bay Village book stations, open only one day per week, continued at a satisfactory pace.

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT

For the second year in succession the Reference Department showed a splendid increase in the number of questions

handled — 7471, an increase of more than 1100 over the previous year's figure. A large amount of this extensive reference service was for veterans of the recent war who were seeking information on courses of study, accredited schools and colleges, careers, vocations, and various kinds of businesses. One young veteran wanted material on the Tagalog language — he had married while in the Philippines and wished to go back there to open a super market. Another who had been stationed in the Philippines wanted a copy of Romulo's famous speeches.

Letters requesting information have been received from California, Connecticut, Illinois, Louisiana, Maine, North Carolina, Ohio, Tennessee, and Washington, D.C. William H. Tripp, Curator of the Old Dartmouth Historical Society has been helpful as always; this time in the identification of certain whaling or nautical articles, sketches of which were sent to us from a city in the Middle West.

Among the important reference works added during the year were: Annotated Laws of Massachusetts — 10 volumes, Congressional Quarterly, Federal Tax Guide, Internal Revenue Code and Encyclopedia Americana.

JUVENILE DEPARTMENT

The circulation of books from the Children's Room was 53,224 and from the School Collection 83,117, the former a slight decrease and the latter an increase of more than 1000. The total number of books on deposit at schools, both public and parochial, was 7905. The Children's Librarian worked with a School Department Committee on revision of the Literature curriculum for grades 5 and 6, visited all 4th grades in the city, both public and parochial, and gave instruction at the Library to 7th grade classes other than those in Junior High Schools. Girl Scout and Boy Scout programs were continued and numerous book reviews and talks were given to various groups, also by the Children's Librarian. Successful story hour periods with victrola music were conducted Saturday mornings during the winter and early spring.

CATALOG DEPARTMENT

The final figure for the fiction inventory of 1944 was 7572 volumes missing. All cards for these books were removed from the catalog. During the year 6955 books were added and 2044 were withdrawn, resulting in a total of 235,795 volumes in the library at the end of the year. It is hoped that a non-fiction inventory may be undertaken in 1947 in keeping with the policy established several years ago.

ART DEPARTMENT

The vertical files, so long planned for this department's collection of circulating pictures were finally achieved in a small measure with the installation of three five-drawer units. This arrangement facilitates the handling of the pictures and provides better protection. Additional units are planned for 1947. 36,570 pictures were circulated during the year. Books on house plans are still in heavy demand and photography continues to be a popular subject.

GENEALOGICAL DEPARTMENT

Still located on the basement floor since being moved there as a protective measure during the war, the Genealogical Room continued the usual indexing, clipping and filing of local materials. Many recent books were added to the collection, some of which were gifts. Several new volumes of the American Genealogical Index were made available for genealogists and historians.

STACK DEPARTMENT

The moving of the switchboard from the stacks to the office of the former Assistant Librarian will make for improved efficiency in stack work. However, a large turnover of help in the department has been a continual difficulty. With the advent of better wages for substitutes and pages in 1947 we may hope for more progress in weeding and revision. Also,

the early appointment of another janitress will permit improvement in the cleanliness and general order of shelves and books.

BRANCH LIBRARIES

I am sorry to have to call attention again to the poor physical condition of the three branches. Nothing but minor repairs were completed in 1946, and we have no way of telling what may be expected for 1947. North and South Branches showed slight circulation losses and West completed the year with a healthy gain in spite of nearly a month's closing for heater repairs.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

It was a source of much pleasure and satisfaction for the Library to receive the John Cotton Dana Award for publicity in cities of 100,000-200,000 population. This award in honor of John Cotton Dana, during his life one of America's leading librarians, was presented at the annual conference of the American Library Association at Buffalo in June, and was based on publicity for the year 1945 "for enlisting the cooperation and participation of varied community groups, indicating an awareness of current and cultural problems."

The Public Forums, in which a number of outstanding speakers were presented, continued to retain their popularity. Some of the speakers were Selwyn James, Dr. Wing-tsit Chan, Col. C. Wellington Furlong, Cord Meyer, Jr., John Somerville and Dr. Herman Finer.

The "Calender of Dates", a service inaugurated in late 1945 has worked out very satisfactorily. More organizations are cooperating in order not to have conflicts in dates when planning important educational and social events.

The Library Column in the Sunday Standard-Times, the Quarterly Bulletin under supervision of Miss Elsie Collins,

and the Book Talks during the early months of the year were continued and improved.

Interesting exhibits were arranged in Ingraham Hall and in the glass case on the upper floor. Among the displays were those concerned with Music Week, Cooperatives, Religious Book Week, Jewish Book Week, Catholic Book Week, Brotherhood Week, Negro History Week, American Veterans Committee, Francis D. Millet's Paintings, and Bibles in Foreign Languages.

New Bedford's First Annual Art Exhibit sponsored by the Standard-Times was held in the Library, and Robert Brooks presented a showing of his paintings, sponsored by the Library.

Book lists and displays were arranged for the Forums and for the New Bedford Vocational School.

The Standard-Times and Radio Station WNBH were generous in their cooperation with Library publicity.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS

As mentioned previously in respect to Branch Libraries, only minor and emergency repairs were effected at the Main Library. The list of necessary and advisable repairs and changes is growing longer and more difficult year after year. Until the required \$3000—\$4000 per year over a five year period, as specified in the "budget plan" adopted by the Trustees several years ago is made available for repairs, little if any improvement can be expected. We were told early in 1946 that the appropriation for Library repairs in the Superintendent of Buildings' budget was about \$2000. Actually, only \$818.49 was used, and the largest part of this was for the emergency heater work at West Branch. The only answer we can obtain is that help is not available.

FINANCES AND PERSONNEL

Although our General Expenses appropriation was enlarged slightly in 1946, we still are working on a budget that

is much too small for normal library requirements. Here again it must be pointed out that the "budget plan", based on absolute necessities and conservative estimates, is the only satisfactory solution.

Staff members' salaries benefited from the \$200 annual temporary adjustment for permanent employees and the substitute and part-time help received small hourly wage increases. However, the lack of improvement in basic wage and salary rates brought about the formation of a Citizens Committee, who with Staff and Trustee representatives inquired into the situation. After several meetings and conferences, the Mayor proposed a schedule of minimum and maximum salaries and wages with specific amounts for 1947 for each employee. This schedule was in many respects similar to what has been submitted in our budget for the past several years, and although not satisfactory in all positions, it was accepted by the Committee and in turn by the Trustees as the best available at present.

In considering library salaries, especially those for professional positions, we must give serious thought to the near future, when several key positions will become vacant because of retirements. If we wish to fill these vacancies with qualified people, and we must if good library service to the community is to be maintained and extended, it is necessary that adequate salaries be effective.

TRUSTEES

The Rev. Linden H. White and Miss Julia C. Gifford were reappointed to the Board in April.

STAFF

Miss Minerva F. Maxfield, appointed Assistant Librarian replacing Mr. Yaeger in 1945, was named Executive Assistant to the Librarian early in 1946 and the position of Assistant Librarian was abolished. Miss Clotilda Kobza, for many years

the popular and capable West Branch Librarian retired and was replaced by Miss Charlotte S. Nye. Mrs. Alice Mahoney and the Misses Muriel Paradis and Thelma Perry resigned and the Misses Thelma Paine, Mary Phaneuf, Loretta Phaneuf, Merilyn James and Mrs. Gladys Katz were appointed to the Staff. Miss Dorothy Osswald was promoted to the new Extension Librarian position in December. William Marsh was appointed Spare Junior Building Custodian and his former position of Elevator Operator was suspended.

The Librarian attended the annual conference of the American Library Association, the New England Library Conference, at which he was on the speaking program, and several meetings of the Massachusetts Library Association and Old Dartmouth Library Club, also appearing on the speaking program of the latter. He was appointed to the Library Division of the Committee for Economic Development, the Education Committee of the Massachusetts Library Association and to the Library Council of the United Nations Association of Massachusetts as publicity chairman. Miss Riley was President of the Old Dartmouth Library Club and gave many book talks and other addresses to various organizations. Miss Bonner showed pictures for the Old Dartmouth Library Club and other groups. Staff members attended meetings of the New England, Massachusetts and Old Dartmouth organizations. An Association of Library Employees was organized during the year and took an active part in the movement for improved salaries and wages. Many changes occurred in the substitute and part-time staff.

GIFTS

The most generous gift to the Library in a number of years was that from the estate of Miss Florence L. Waite, embracing Correggio's painting "The Marriage of St. Catharine", \$2000 as an outright bequest and one-eighth of the residue. The total amount of this will not be known until late 1947. Miss Patty Wilcox willed a \$5000 trust fund, the income to

be used for travel books, and the Frederick Slocum Allen Fund of \$1000 with income to be used for whaling books and articles was established.

For these splendid gifts and for many others of books and pamphlets received throughout the year, the Library is deeply appreciative.

RECOMMENDATIONS

My recommendations for 1947 are the same as for 1946 except the Extension Service and change in the telephone system, the only two from a list of fourteen which our severely limited finances permitted us to accomplish.

In closing this report I am happy to express my sincere gratitude to the Library Trustees and employees for their co-operation and confidence.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T. O'ROURKE

STATISTICS IN FORM RECOMMENDED BY THE AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Annual Report for year ending December 31, 1946

Name of Library—New Bedford Free Public Library.

City—New Bedford. State—Massachusetts.

Name of Librarian—William T. O'Rourke.

Date of Founding—1852.

Population served—110,341 (U. S. Census, 1940).

What government unit served?—City.

Terms of use—

Free lending.

Free for reference.

Total number of agencies—178

Consisting of Central Library and 3 Branches.

Other agencies: 171 School Deposits and classroom
libraries, 1 hospital, 2 housing developments.

Number of days open during the year	335
Hours open each week for lending	72
Hours open each week for reading	79
Hours of service per week required of staff	35
Number of Sundays open during the year	27
Hours open each Sunday (for reading and reference)	7

BOOK STOCK

Number of volumes at beginning of year	230,884
Number of volumes added during year	6,955
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	2,044
Total number of volumes at end of year	235,795
Number of newspapers currently received excluding duplicates	35
Number of periodicals currently received excluding duplicates	298

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CIRCULATION AND USE

Number of volumes of adult non-fiction lent for home use	40,883
Number of volumes of adult fiction lent for home use	144,461
Number of books for children lent for home use	201,400
Total number of volumes lent for home use	386,744

REGISTRATION

Total number of registered borrowers	17,041
Borrowers registered or reregistered during year	5,262
The length of registration period is 3 years.	

CITY APPROPRIATION

Appropriation		\$80,520.53
Salaries	\$47,996.11	
Wages	20,106.41	
Building Maintenance	156.17	
Insurance	330.79	
Janitors' Supplies	727.90	
Binding	2,033.13	
Printing	808.03	
Express	35.52	
Postage	258.96	
Telephone	422.63	
Light	558.49	
Heat	577.72	
Water	82.79	
Stationery and Supplies	1,230.03	
Travel and Transportation	271.63	
Library Maintenance	132.20	
All other	97.95	
Forums	733.19	
New Equipment	381.21	
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	\$76,940.86	
Balance	3,579.67	
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		\$80,520.53

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

KEMPTON FUND

Balance	\$442.99	
Receipts	9,404.84	
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		\$9,847.83
Library Maintenance	\$9,177.59	
Janitors' Supplies	.44	
Binding	51.57	
Printing	6.20	
Stationery and Supplies	23.48	
Building Maintenance	8.25	
All Other	15.00	
New Equipment	87.00	
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	\$9,369.53	
Balance	478.30	
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		\$9,847.83

SYLVIA ANN HOWLAND FUND

Balance	\$61.26	
Receipts	2015.79	
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		\$2077.05
Library Maintenance	\$2044.89	
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	\$2044.89	
Balance	32.16	
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		\$2077.05

GEORGE O. CROCKER FUND

Balance	\$231.21	
Receipts	275.34	
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		\$506.55
Library Maintenance	\$402.80	
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	402.80	
Balance	103.75	
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		\$506.55

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OLIVER CROCKER FUND

Balance	\$30.63	
Receipts	15.00	
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		\$45.63
Library Maintenance	\$44.63	
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	\$44.63	
Balance	1.00	
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		\$45.63

GEORGE HOWLAND, JR. FUND

Balance	\$23.29	
Receipts	24.00	
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		\$47.29
Library Maintenance	\$45.45	
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	\$45.45	
Balance	1.84	
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		\$47.29

JAMES B. CONGDON FUND

Balance	\$10.69	
Receipts	7.50	
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		\$18.19
Library Maintenance	\$17.71	
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	\$17.71	
Balance	.48	
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		\$18.19

CHARLES W. MORGAN FUND

Balance	\$27.92	
Receipts	15.00	
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		\$42.92

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library Maintenance	\$39.56	
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	\$39.56	
Balance	3.36	
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		\$42.92

CHARLES L. WOOD FUND

Balance	\$20.06	
Receipts	30.00	
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		\$50.06
Library Maintenance	45.33	
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	45.33	
Balance	4.73	
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		\$50.06

ELIZABETH B. MACKIE FUND

Balance	\$31.23	
Receipts	15.00	
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		\$46.23
Library Maintenance	\$44.54	
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	\$44.54	
Balance	1.69	
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		\$46.23

DEBORAH B. TRIPP FUND

Principal and Income (approx.)	\$16,000.00	
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		\$16,000.00
Library Maintenance	\$579.27	
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	\$579.27	
Balance	15,420.73	
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		\$16,000.00

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DUPLICATE PAY

Balance	\$273.40	
Receipts	259.17	
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Library Maintenance	\$186.22	
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	\$186.22	
Balance	346.35	
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FINANCE

RECEIPTS

*City appropriation	\$92,520.53
Income from Trust Funds	
(Incl. balance from	
1945)	27,802.47
Rental collection	259.17
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	\$120,582.17

*Includes \$10,000 value of municipally supplied heat and light and \$2,000 for repairs under City Building Department.

EXPENDITURES OPERATING EXPENSES

Salaries: Library	
Staff	\$54,496.45
Wages: Building Staff	13,606.07
Books and Periodicals	12,627.99
Printing and rebinding	2,898.93
Heat, light, power,	
water	11,219.00
Insurance	330.79
New Equipment	468.21
Other operating	
expenses	4,931.84
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Grand Total	\$100,579.28
Balance on hand at end	
of fiscal year	\$20,002.89
\$4,761.18 of this balance	
reverted to the City	
Actual balance	\$15,241.71

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ANNUAL REPORT

New Bedford Free Public Library for the year 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 13, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the city documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Attest :

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS
OF THE
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS
For Year Ending December 31, 1946



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New Bedford, Mass.

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

1946

	Term Expires
GEORGE H. CUSHING	1947
J. ALFRED FREDETTE	1948
STANISLAW SMJETANA	1949
ANTONE MELLO	1950
JOHN ANTHONY	1951

ORGANIZATION

Chairman

J. ALFRED FREDETTE

Superintendent

THOMAS E. HALLIWELL

Principal Clerk

LOUISE DUPRE

Secretary

JOHN ANTHONY

Junior Clerk and Typist

GLADYS C. ROUNSEVILLE

PARK KEEPERS

EDWARD W. BARRETT — Brooklawn Park

EDGAR W. KIRBY — Buttonwood Park

CARLOS V. MELLO — Hazelwood Park

OFFICE OF THE PARK BOARD

Room 205

Municipal Building

New Bedford, Mass.

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

December 31, 1946

The Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen:

The Board of Park Commissioners, complying with the provisions of law, presents herewith its 53rd Annual Report on Parks, and its sub-divisions, Bath Houses, Playgrounds, Youth Activities and Rifle Range.

Regular monthly meetings were held for nine months of the year, the Board members voting to dispense with meetings during the months of June, July and August.

Mr. John Anthony whose term expired in May, was reappointed by the Mayor for a five year period, term to expire the first Monday in May 1951.

The Board organized in May and elected Mr. J. Alfred Fredette as Chairman, and Mr. John Anthony as Secretary.

In April, Mr. Arthur Macey, Jr., a park police officer resigned to become an employee of the Fire Department, and Mr. Joseph E. Renauld, Motor Equipment Operator, retired on account of ill health.

In September, Mrs. Isabel K. Winsper, Supervisor of Youth Activities, resigned and her resignation was accepted with regret.

Mr. James F. Sullivan, who for the past few years was a Supervisor of Playgrounds, and carried on this work very successfully, was placed in charge of the Youth Centers, and Mrs. Almoner Delano was appointed his assistant in the center district.

Mrs. Mary Turner in charge of the West End Youth Center, the oldest center in length of service, has continued to do very creditable work in her district, considering the handicap under which she has to work.

Bids for refreshment concessions were advertised for in May and were awarded to the highest bidders, namely; Mrs. Theodore Galkin, Buttonwood Park for \$301.88, and Mrs. J. Rymsewicz, Brooklawn Park for \$25.00.

The Park Commissioners voted to lease the Municipal Golf Course for a period of one and one-half years to a group doing business as World Wars I and II Veterans Golf Association, with an option to renew at the expiration of year ending December 31, 1947.

During the year the Board voted to have go on record their objection to any changes being made in the present names of parks and squares under the control of the Park Department, now or at any future date.

The Board members, on a ruling received from the City Solicitor, had to deny a request from a private interest to have an ice hockey rink on Park owned property.

Several Veteran Organizations were again given permission to hold Carnivals on the Bristol Mill Lot, which lot is only under the supervision of the Park Department.

All available space was again given for Community gardens, mostly to the people who had planted them for the past four years.

The reports of the Superintendent of Parks, and the sub-divisions, are incorporated in this report.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALFRED FREDETTE, Chairman
JOHN ANTHONY, Secretary
ANTONE MELLO
STANISLAW SMIETANA
GEORGE H. CUSHING

Board of Park Commissioners

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts

Appropriation	
Salaries and wages	\$22,128.66
Labor	34,100.00
General Expense	9,303.00
Pensions	3,892.16
Concession Privileges	326.88
Concession — Electricity charge	16.57
Rental of House on Municipal Golf Course	234.02
Rental of Land on Municipal Golf Course	35.00
Rental of Golf Course (1½ year)	50.00
Rental of Buttonwood Community House	5.00
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	\$70,091.29
New Equipment	3,250.00
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	\$73,341.29

Expenditures

Andrews-Dahill Park	\$ 95.88
Ashley Park	1,095.51
Battery "D" Park	49.38
Brooklawn Park	13,305.54
Buttonwood Park	19,500.81
Common	4,541.25
G. A. R. Memorial	327.84
Greenhouse	5,534.36
Grove Park	43.59
Hazelwood Park	11,665.59
Marine Park	205.11
Office	6,677.69
Triangle Park	19.13
Victory Park	827.40
Golf Course Property	49.00
Playgrounds and Athletic Fields	803.02
Rifle Range	47.87
Bath Houses	215.62
Youth Centers	248.59
Pensions	3,892.16
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	\$69,145.34
New Equipment	2,831.22
Unexpended balance	278.48
Unexpended balance on new equipment	418.78
Transferred to General Funds	667.47
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	\$73,341.29

OFFICE

Personal Services	
Salaries	\$6,175.66
Contractual Services	
Communications	42.66

PARK DEPARTMENT**7 q**

Repairs	93.80
Printing	158.70
Advertising	13.18
Auto Hire	7.35
Other	17.00
Supplies	
Motor	87.45
Stationery	66.29
Other	2.60
Sundry	
Membership fees	13.00
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\$6,677.69	

COMMON

Personal Services	
Wages	\$4,186.84
Contractual Services	
Repairs	42.51
Public Utility	149.80
Supplies	
Botanical and Horticultural	37.81
Fuel	36.74
Tools	71.48
Other	3.95
Materials	
Machine and metal	6.67
Paint	5.45
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\$4,541.25	

BROOKLAWN PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$12,139.86
Contractual Services	
Communications	58.49
Repairs	63.28
Public Utility	228.57
Other	11.75
Supplies	
Athletic	111.60
Botanical and Horticultural	69.64
Forage	51.54
Fuel	110.22
Motor	127.99
Tools	67.35
Other	23.06
Materials	
Lumber	6.12
Machine and metal	145.25
Mason and Road	19.43
Paints, oils, etc.	56.04
Other	15.35
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\$13,305.54	

PARK DEPARTMENT

BUTTONWOOD PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$15,389.50
Contractual Services	
Communications	57.70
Repairs	293.95
Public Utility	600.68
Other	54.17
Athletic	287.96
Botanical and Horticultural	62.14
Forage	1,649.87
Fuel	217.94
Motor	361.63
Tools	30.80
Janitor	8.14
Other	67.90
Materials	
Machine and Metal	177.73
Mason and Road	63.65
Paints, Oils, etc.	153.04
Other	9.81
Equipment	14.20
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	\$19,500.81

GREENHOUSE

Personal Services	
Wages	\$4,604.24
Contractual Services	
Repairs	3.30
Other	1.45
Supplies	
Botanical and Horticultural	252.87
Fuel	612.60
Tools	12.50
Other	7.16
Materials	
Machine and Metal	24.93
Mason	8.72
Paint, Oils, etc.	3.95
Other	2.64
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	\$5,534.36

BATTERY "D" PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$ 38.22
Contractual Services	
Public Utility	7.00
Supplies	
Other	4.16
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	\$49.38

PARK DEPARTMENT

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HAZELWOOD PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$10,144.59
Contractual Services	
Communications	66.41
Repairs	206.01
Public Utility	183.12
Other	34.75
Supplies	
Athletic	114.22
Botanical and Horticultural	109.13
Fuel	70.94
Motor	355.97
Tools	100.02
Janitor	44.90
Other	23.88
Materials	
Machine and Metal	53.47
Mason and Road	20.29
Paint, Oils, etc.	120.69
Other	3.00
Equipment	14.20
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	\$11,665.59

ASHLEY PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$ 986.45
Contractual Services	
Repairs	6.00
Public Utility	16.01
Supplies	
Athletic	25.50
Fuel	45.00
Other	5.25
Materials	
Machine and Metal	1.40
Paint	9.90
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	\$1,095.51

G. A. R. MEMORIAL PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$146.67
Contractual Services	
Repairs	65.43
Public Utility	10.00
Supplies	
Botanical and Horticultural	101.03
Machine and Metal	4.71
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	\$327.81

PARK DEPARTMENT

GROVE PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$14.71
Contractual Services	
Public Utility	28.88
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	\$43.59

MARINE PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$197.29
Materials	
Machine and Metal	7.82
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	\$205.11

TRIANGLE PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$19.13

VICTORY PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$517.59
Contractual Services	
Repairs	14.45
Public Utility	214.10
Supplies	
Fuel	13.22
Materials	
Machine and Metal	49.19
Paint, oils, etc.	18.85
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	\$827.40

ANDREWS-DAHILL PARK

Personal Services	
Wages	\$95.88

PLAYGROUNDS AND ATHLETIC FIELDS

Personal Services	
Wages	782.41
Contractual Services	
Repairs	11.36
Supplies	
Athletic	9.25
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	\$803.02

YOUTH CENTERS

Personal Services	
Wages	\$248.59

PAR DEPARTMENT

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GOLF COURSE PROPERTY

Personal Services	
Wages	\$31.95
Contractual Services	
Public Utility	17.05
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	\$49.00

BATHHOUSES

Personal Services	
Wages	\$215.62

RIFLE RANGE

Personal Services	
Wages	\$47.87

PLAYGROUND DIVISION

Financial Statement

Receipts

Appropriation	
Salaries	\$5,000.00
General Expenses	800.00
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	\$5,800.00
Transfer from Playground Salaries to Park Labor	1,100.00
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	\$4,700.00

Expenditures

Personal Services	
Salaries	\$3,876.40
Contractual Services	
Repairs — Equipment	249.96
Public Utility	7.69
Printing	9.25
Automobile Hire	88.00
Other	51.15
Supplies	
Athletic	162.05
First Aid	18.85
Tools	50.35
Art Craft, badges, etc.	82.23
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	\$4,595.93
Unexpended balance	104.07
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	\$4,700.00

PARK DEPARTMENT

BATHHOUSE DIVISION**Financial Statement****Receipts**

Appropriation	
Salaries	\$10,300.00
General Expense	1,200.00
Rental of suits, towels, and boxes	2,322.75
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	\$13,822.75

Expenditures

Salaries	\$10,201.84
General Expense	1,168.03
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	\$11,369.87
Transferred to General Funds	2,322.75
Unexpended balance	130.13
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	\$13,822.75
Personal Services	
Salaries and Wages	\$10,201.84
Contractual Services	
Communications	79.52
Repairs	90.56
Public Utility	228.86
Truck and Team Hire	188.97
Towing Rafts	49.00
Laundry Work	96.06
Supplies	
Horticultural	23.87
Medical	25.22
Fuel	36.74
Tools	21.66
Janitor	18.61
Towels	70.08
Other (ice, tickets, etc.)	40.01
Materials	
Machine and Metal	83.22
Paint, oils, etc.	115.65
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	\$11,369.87

YOUTH ACTIVITIES**Financial Statement****Receipts**

Appropriation	
Salaries	\$5,841.17
General Expense	1,120.00
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	\$6,961.17

PARK DEPARTMENT

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Expenditures

Salaries	\$5,355.00
General Expense	1,068.41
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	\$6,423.41
Unexpended balance	537.76
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	\$6,961.17
Personal Services	
Salaries	\$5,355.00
Contractual Services	
Communications	56.94
Repairs	81.47
Public Utility	327.26
Rental of Building	480.00
Supplies	
Athletic	39.35
Musical Instruments	28.00
Janitor	37.09
Other	18.30
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	\$6,423.41

MILITIA

Financial Statement

Receipts

Appropriation	
General Expense	\$100.00

Expenditures

Building Repairs	\$12.00
Telephone	30.40
Light	25.34
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	\$67.74
Unexpended balance	32.26
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	\$100.00

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my Annual Report on the work and activities of the Park Department for the year 1946.

Although no extensive improvements were made within the parks, considerable very necessary repairs were accomplished during the year.

The only real active sports during the summer season were baseball and bowling on the green, and we were able to satisfy all leagues participating in these sports.

In the afternoon the diamonds at Buttonwood Park are used by the Vocational High School and the New Bedford Textile Institute for practice and home games, and in the evening by the City Twilight league and the C. Y. O. League.

The tennis courts were not much in demand, only half of the courts at each park were put in playing condition for this reason, so the care of them did not require much time, leaving the men free to do the more necessary work.

The New Bedford Quota Club donated 250 tulip bulbs to the Park Department, and these were planted at Buttonwood Park, and the Garden Club donated a tree to Buttonwood Park.

There were twenty new trees planted in Hazelwood Park to replace those blown down by the hurricanes, and sixteen new trees planted in Ashley Park.

Fifteen hundred tulip bulbs were purchased from Holland to replace our depleted stock, and these we planted in G. A. R. Memorial Park.

We also purchased fifty rose bushes to fill in our rose beds at the Common, as some of our bushes die out each year.

The employees of the greenhouse again raised 1500 geraniums which are used to help decorate the veterans' graves on Memorial Day.

On account of the many violations of Park rules the Chief of Police was requested to help out our Park Police, by having the cruiser car patrol the parks from time to time.

Complaints having been made on the inadequate lighting in some of our parks and squares, we had the Superintendent of Street Lights check the lighting condition, and more lights will be installed as soon as conditions permit.

The walls and jetties at the Municipal Bathing Beach, partially destroyed in the hurricanes of 1938 and 1944, are now in such a condition from the south-west wind storms we had in the late Fall, that repairs will have to be made to them in 1947, although our request for an appropriation for these repairs was cut out of the 1947 budget we submitted.

During the year one thousand dollars worth of new equipment for playgrounds was purchased, but was delivered too late for use this year, but will be available for use in 1947.

We also purchased two 21" gasoline mowers, one 1½ ton truck and one Ford coupe.

Repairs:

Buttonwood Park: A new roof was put on the Bird House and the inside was painted. The greenhouse was painted on the outside and glass reset. All other buildings were painted.

Brooklawn Park: The skating house shelter was painted and the roof repaired. A new roof on the Concession building and the building painted.

Hazelwood Park: The tool house was painted.

Victory Park: The skating house shelter was painted and the roof repaired. The bleachers were painted and plumbing repaired in the building.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS E. HALLIWELL,
Superintendent of Parks

The program set up in the Youth Centers has proven very successful and feel that it has been of some help in keeping down juvenile delinquency.

Appreciation must be given to the women supervisors in the Youth Centers for their wholehearted co-operation in carrying on their part of the work. Also my sincere thanks to the different groups of entertainers who gave their time and service in entertaining the members with vocal and instrumental music, and also to the newspaper for reporting on the activities during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS E. HALLIWELL,
Superintendent of Parks

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES IN NEW BEDFORD PARKS

BASEBALL

Brooklawn Park
Buttonwood Park
Ashley Park
Victory Park
Bristol Field

TENNIS

Brooklawn Park
Buttonwood Park
Hazelwood Park

BOWLING GREENS

Brooklawn Park
Hazelwood Park

GOLF COURSE

Hathaway Road

PICNIC AREAS

Buttonwood Park
Brooklawn Park
Hazelwood Park

SWIMMING

Municipal Bathing Beach

SOFT BALL

Buttonwood Park
Joseph Francis Playground
Victory Park

PLAYGROUNDS

Brooklawn Park
Buttonwood Park
Hazelwood Park
Common
Grove Park
Ashley Park
Hathaway
Monte
Middle Street
Knowlton School
Ottiwell School

SKATING

Brooklawn Park
Buttonwood Park
Victory Park

VOLLEY BALL

On the various playgrounds

RECREATION CENTERS

Mary B. White School
West End Center

Activities carried on at the New Bedford Rifle Range, located in South Dartmouth, for the year 1946, submitted by John A. Lucian, Range Officer, Captain (rtd.) M. O. M., were as follows:

June 2nd — 8th Co., 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

June 9th — Company F, QMC, M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

June 16th — 5th Company 28th Inf. M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

June 23rd — Hdqts. & Service Co., 28th Inf. Rifle Marksmanship

July 14th — New Bedford Police Dept. Tear Gas Tactical School

July 28th — New Bedford Police Dept. Tear Gas Tactical School

Aug. 25th — 16th Co., 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

Sept. 8th — 14th Co., 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

Sept. 15th — 8th Co., 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

Sept. 15th — 28th Inf. Medical Detachment, Field Practice

Sept. 22nd — 28th Inf. Regimental Hdqts. Machine Gun School

Sept. 29th — 28th Inf. Regimental Staff School

Oct. 6th — 5th Company, 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

Oct. 13th — 8th Company, 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

Oct. 20th — 28th Inf. Regimental Sub-Machine School

Oct. 27th — 5th Company, 28th Inf., M.S.G. Rifle Marksmanship

Nov. 9th — 28th Inf. Regimental Staff School

The Massachusetts State Guard was inactivated January 31, 1947. The Massachusetts National Guard is now in the process of organizing and is expected to use the Rifle Range facilities that the State Guard has used from March 1940 through the year ending Dec. 31, 1946.

The New Bedford Police Department will continue to use the Range facilities provided for the police.

A brief summary on the Municipal Bathing Beach is hereby submitted from reports turned in by Mr. William E. Foster, Bath House Supervisor.

The beach season opened June 9th and closed September 8th. A record number of about 95,000 people used the Bath Houses and its facilities, and the necessary precautions were taken for the safety of these people by having enough lifeguards and attendants on duty at all times.

Our handicap is obtaining enough lifeguards with the necessary qualifications for the work. The average age of those obtainable being under twenty-one years of age, but they did a good job.

On account of extreme heat during mid-summer, people were allowed to stay on the beach until nine o'clock, which was about one half hour later than in previous years.

The number of people who paid for the use of the bath houses and its facilities was very satisfactory.

The following reports on Playgrounds and Youth Centers were submitted by Mr. James F. Sullivan, who is Playground Director and also Director of Recreation and Athletics at the Youth Centers.

The playgrounds opened on July 2nd for a period of nine weeks, with eleven playgrounds in operation.

There was a decided increase in the attendance this year with the children showing great interest in all the activities.

Baseball, softball, volley ball leagues were organized, participated in mostly by the boys, with great rivalry being displayed between the different teams. There were also horse-shoe games and marble contests for the boys and jackstone contests for the girls. Playoff games for all sports were held at Buttonwood Park.

A spelling bee was conducted on all the playgrounds, and the winners and their alternates met for the finals which were broadcast over Radio Station WNBH.

✓ Every week on Tuesdays a group of 75 to 80 children, selected from the different playgrounds, were taken by bus on an outing to Lincoln Park. These outings by bus were sponsored by the Disabled American Veterans Organization.

Classes in handicraft were conducted for the girls, such as basketry, sewing, crocheting, leather work, paper flower work, bead work and many other useful arts, with a wonderful display of articles at the end of the season.

Special events program was held one afternoon a week, one being an Indian Pow Wow, where the children built wigwams of leaves and branches, cooked their food over campfires made of stones or bricks, while the leader related to them the history of the Indians.

A playground circus and horribles parade, hobby show and doll carriage show were held, each playground competing. The Anything on Wheels parade was enthusiastically received by the boys.

An event of fine benefit to the neighborhood in the vicinities of the playgrounds was the Ragweed Picking Contest. Great quantities of the weed was cleaned out, and this event rated very nice commendation in our Daily Newspaper.

A Field Day was held at the end of August, the first of its kind since 1940. This brought out a large group of spectators and contestants.

Sincere thanks is extended to Mr. Earle D. Wilson for putting on the Magic Shows, and to D. A. V. for furnishing the buses for the children's outings.

Reporting on the Youth Centers, especially on the one in the centrally located building, the registration during the month of December reached a peak total for the year of 1,132.

There was an average nightly attendance at this center of about 200. At the West End Center the enrollment is about the same as in 1945. The quarters occupied by this Center does not warrant a larger enrollment.

Activities such as quiet games, sewing, crocheting, reading, knitting, dramatics, talent shows, social dancing, table tennis, pool, baseball, basketball and softball continue to be very popular.

Boxing and calisthenics have been added to the activities in the center district and with Darcy Whyte, a boxing

champion, teaching the members the fundamentals in these two types of activities. Mr. Whyte also gives interesting talks on boxing technique and its benefits to a boy's posture and health in later life, if studied in a proper manner under a competent supervisor.

A new activity was started for boys in the month of November, a woodcraft class, in which plans were made to make a variety of wooden novelties. The boys were enthusiastic about the work as they were eager to make articles for Christmas.

The older girls gave of their time to make some very attractive greeting cards for the youngsters at Sol-e-Mar Hospital.

Moving pictures were shown sometime during each month both for the younger and older members. For celebrations such as Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's, parties were held in the afternoon for the youngest members, the older ones having their party in the evening. This arrangement tends for better enjoyment by both groups.

During September, one night was set aside for "Parents Night" and many of the members' parents visited the Center and were well pleased to know what the activities were that their children were participating in.

Some women from different Women's Clubs acted as hostesses during the last months of the year, and expressed their approval of the manner in which the Youth Centers were conducted.

Women from the Mothers Club of the Trinity Church visited the Center from time to time and donated yarn and crochet hooks to the girl members.

The snack bar is of course one of the enjoyable spots in the Center, and the attendants are kept very busy serving coca-cola and sweets. This place has proved self supporting.

The officers and committee members put on a chicken pie supper in December and had as their guests, Mayor and Mrs. Arthur N. Harriman, Superintendent of Parks Thomas E. Halliwell and Mrs. Halliwell, Mrs. Rufus Turner, from the West Eend Center, and the Park Board personnel.

The officers and committee members proved to be a great help in keeping things orderly among the members as well as keeping the Center clean.

ANNUAL REPORT

Department of Parks

For the year ending December 31, 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL

May 8, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed
in the City Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Twenty-second Annual Report

OF THE

PLANNING BOARD

AND

Twenty-first Annual Report

OF THE

BOARD OF APPEALS



NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year 1946

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

City of New Bedford

January 1, 1947

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford.

Gentlemen :

The Planning Board submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Five meetings were held during the year, all of them for the purpose of holding hearings on petitions for changes on the zoning map.

The following table shows the changes applied for and the action taken by the Planning Board and by the City Council.

PLANNING BOARD

Location	From	To	Change recommended by Planning Board	Change made by City Council	No.
Acushnet Ave. and Tinkham St., n. e. cor. (172.48' on Acushnet Ave. and 109.66' on Tinkham St.)	Residence C	Business	Yes	Yes	No. 24
Adams, Myrtle, Coggeshall and Reynolds Sts., Block bounded by	Bus. & Ind. A	Residence C	Yes	No	
Allen and Byron Sts., n. e. and n. w. corners	Residence B	Business	No	No	
Court, Park, Union and Newton Sts., Block bounded by	Industrial A	Residence B	Yes	Yes	No. 28
Dartmouth St., e. s., bet. Jenkins and Winsper Sts.	Industrial A	Business	No	No	
Diman and Hathaway Sts., n. e. cor., (95' on Diman; 154.42'—Hathaway)	Residence C	Business	No	Yes	No. 25
First St. and Cove Rd., n. w. cor., (464' on First St. and 202' on Cove Rd.)	Residence C	Business	Yes	Yes	No. 20
Frank and Bolton Sts., n. e. cor., (85.08' on Bolton; 90' on Frank)	Residence B	Business	No	Yes	No. 23
Hathaway Blvd., Shawmut Ave. and Coggeshall St., Triangle bounded by	Residence A	Business	No	No	
Jenkins St., so. side, Hemlock St. to 80' e. of Dartmouth St.	Industrial A	Residence B	Yes	No	
Nauset and Mt. Pleasant Sts., s. e. cor., Extension of Business zone southerly 40.81'	Residence B	Business	Yes	Yes	No. 26
Phillips Ave., s. s., Extension of Business zone from 80' east of No. Front St. easterly	Residence C	Business	Yes	No	
Raymond St., e. s., bet. Menton and Appleton Sts.	Residence B	Industrial A	No	No	
Rodney Fr. Blvd. (W), e. s., so. of Brock Ave., Extension of Business zone	Residence B	Business	Yes	Yes	No. 27
Shaw St., s. s., bet. Arlington and Concord Sts.	Residence B	Residence C	Yes	Yes	No. 21
State St., e. s., bet. Linden and Weld Sts.	Residence C	Business	Yes	Yes	No. 22
Summer St., e. s., bet. Coggeshall and Peckham Sts.	Residence C	Business	No	No	
Summer, Coggeshall, Myrtle and Peckham Sts., Block bounded by	Res. C & Bus. Residence B	Residence C	No	No	
Thatcher St., e. s., bet. Cove Rd. and Grit St.	Industrial A	Business	Yes	No	
Winsper St., n. s., Hemlock St. to 80' e. of Dartmouth St.	Industrial A	Business	No	No	

Note: Residence A—One family zone.

Residence B—Two family zone.

Residence C—Multiple family zone.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation	\$75.00
Annual Report	\$36.25
Dues — American Civic and Planning Association	5.00
Dues — Massachusetts Federation of Planning Boards	15.00
Postage	12.00
Stationery	6.30
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Total expenditures	74.55
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Balance45

PERSONNEL OF THE BOARD

Arthur N. Harriman	Mayor and Chairman
Ovila Fortin	Councillor
Albion B. Stone	Councillor
Antone Mello	Member of Park Board
H. Ernest Dionne	Member of Board of Health
Patrick J. Foley	Commissioner of Public Works and Secretary
Frederick R. Ripley	Superintendent of Buildings

Respectfully submitted

PATRICK J. FOLEY,

Secretary

ANNUAL REPORT

Planning Board, for the year 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 17, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the city documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

BOARD OF APPEALS

City of New Bedford

January 1, 1947

To the City Council of the City of New Bedford.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Appeals submits its annual report for the year 1946.

Meetings have been held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month except when there were no appeals.

One hundred and eleven appeals were received for consideration during the year. Eighty-five of these were granted, twenty-four denied and two withdrawn.

A summary of the cases, with the action of the board thereon, is set forth in the following table.

No.	Nature	District	Location	Action
760	Alter 1-family house for 2-family use.....	Residence A	Seventh St.	Granted
761	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Pleasant St.	Granted
762	Garage.....	Residence A	Rockdale Ave.	Granted
763	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Ryan St.	Denied
764	Alter 1-family house for 7-family use.....	Residence A	Cottage St.	Granted*
765	Alter Clubhouse for retail and light manufacturing	Residence C	Hope St.	Denied
766	Alter 2-family house for 4-family use.....	Residence B	Sycamore St.	Granted
767	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Irvington St.	Granted
768	Building Regulation (Wood frame building, fire district)		Popes Island	Supt. reversed
769	Garage.....	Residence C	Durant Ct. R. Deane	Granted
770	Alter 6-family house for 10-family use.....	Residence B	Cottage St.	Granted
771	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence A	Rounds St.	Denied
772	Addition to non-conforming store	Residence C	Crapo St.	Withdrawn
773	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Pleasant St.	Granted
774	Alter 3-family house for 4-family use.....	Residence B	Willis St.	Granted
775	Alter 1-family house for 4-family use.....	Residence B	County St.	Granted
776	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Walden St.	Granted
777	Alter 4-family house for 5-family use.....	Residence A	County St.	Granted
778	Garage.....	Residence A	Rounds St.	Granted
779	Addition to non-conforming store	Residence C	Crapo St.	Granted
780	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Chestnut St.	Granted
781	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Chancery St.	Granted
782	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Cottage St.	Granted
783	Alter 2-family house for 6-family use.....	Residence A	Court St.	Granted*
784	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Brigham St.	Denied
785	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence A	Rounds St.	Granted*
786	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Pleasant St.	Granted
787	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Short St.	Granted
788	Addition to non-conforming 3-family house	Residence B	Bay St.	Granted
789	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Clinton St.	Denied
790	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Mt. Pleasant St.	Granted
791	Alter 1-family house for 2-family use.....	Residence A	Maxfield St.	Denied

792	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Campbell St.	Granted
793	Change to another Industrial non-conforming use	Business	Beetle St.	Granted
794	Alter 4-family house for 5-family use.....	Residence A	State St.	Granted
795	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Harwich St.	Denied
796	Dry cleaning in non-conforming public garage	Residence B	Allen St.	Denied
797	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Summer St.	Granted
798	Extension of non-conforming Industrial use into Business Dist.	Business	Bolton St.	Granted*
799	Alterations to non-conforming multi-family house	Residence A	Mill St.	Granted*
800	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Brigham St.	Granted
801	Building Regulation (Frame store dwelling partly in fire district)	Business	43 Division St.	Supt. reversed
802	Refreshment stand	Residence A	Tobey St., Sassaquin	Denied
803	Alter 1-family house for 2-family use.....	Residence A	Clinton St.	Granted
804	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	State St.	Denied
805	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Sycamore St.	Denied
806	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Summer St.	Denied
807	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Borden St.	Denied
808	Alter 1-family house for 2-family use.....	Residence A	Central Ave.	Granted*
809	Basement apartment (Building Regulation)	Business	Middle St.	Supt. sustained
810	Garage (Auto Repairs)	Residence A	Chancery—R. Campbell	Withdrawn
811	Alter 1-family house for medical center	Residence C	So. Sixth St.	Granted*
812	Garage	Residence B	Milford St.	Granted
813	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	County St.	Granted
814	Addition to non-conforming cleaning and dyeing plant	Residence C	So. Second St.	Granted
815	Alter 1-family house for 2-family use.....	Residence A	Hawthorn St.	Denied
816	1-family house too near street.....	Residence A	SE cor. Hawthorn and Orchard Sts.	Denied
817	Alter 1-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Brooklawn St.	Granted
818	Garage	Residence A	County, cor. Pope St.	Granted

No.	Nature	District	Location	Action
819	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Merrimac St.	Granted
820	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Liberty St.	Denied
821	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Rounds St.	Granted
822	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Oaklawn St.	Granted
823	Private garage for auto repairing	Residence B	Austin St.	Denied
824	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence A	Union St.	Granted
825	Alter 3-family house for 6-family use.....	Residence B	County St.	Granted
826	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Willis St.	Granted
827	Erect sign to non-conforming business garage	Residence B	Cottage St. cor. Elm	Granted
828	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Brigham St.	Granted
829	Alter 2-family house for 4-family use (Duplex)	Residence B	Campbell St.	Granted
830	Alter 2-family house for 9-family use.....	Residence B	Sherman St.	Granted—6 only
831	Sign on garage	Residence B	Ash St.	Granted
832	Club to special laundry	Residence C	Hope St.	Granted
833	Garage	Residence C	County St.	Granted
834	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Richmond St.	Granted
835	Alterations to non-conforming rooming house	Residence B	Walnut St.	Denied
836	Attic tenement in 2½ story store and dwelling	Residence B	Mt. Pleasant St.	Granted
837	Garage	Residence B	Acushnet Ave.- Brewster	Denied
838	Garage for dyeing business	Residence C	Tallman and Brook Sts.	Granted
839	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Wood St.	Granted
840	Alter 3-family house for 5-family use.....	Residence A	State St.	Granted
841	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Willis St.	Granted
842	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Ash and Court Sts.	Granted
843	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Bedford St.	Granted
844	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Jenkins St.	Granted
845	Alter 3-family house for 4-family use.....	Residence B	Hillman St.	Granted
846	Public garage to carpenter shop with wood working machinery	Residence B	Court St.	Denied

847	Office Building on part of lot in Residence C zone	Residence C	Dartmouth St.	Granted
848	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Chestnut St.	Granted
849	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Merrimac St.	Granted
850	Sign to advertise non-conforming business	Residence B	Acushnet Ave.	Granted
851	Alter 1-family house for 5 apartments	Residence B	Morgan St.	Granted—4 only
852	Alter accessory workshop for 1-family use	Residence B	Harrison St.	Denied
853	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	(Rear)	
854	Garage	Residence B	County St.	Granted
855	Reduced front yard	Residence B	Bedford St.	Granted
			Bank St., so.	Denied
			Matthew	
856	Poultry house less than required distance from the street	Residence B	Holyoke and Oliver Sts.	Granted
857	Non-conforming dairy and storage to non-conforming laundry	Residence B	Clifford St.	Granted*
858	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	County St.	Granted*
859	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	North St.	Granted
860	Accessory building less than the required distance from street	Residence B	Lowell St., R	Granted
			Ashley Blvd.	
861	Extension of Business use into Residence district	Residence A	Kempton St.	Denied
862	Sign advertising non-conforming business	Residence B	Cottage St.	Granted*
863	Alter 4-family house for 6-family use.....	Residence A	So. Sixth St.	Granted
864	2 doctors offices in 1-family dwelling	Residence A	Union St., E.	Granted
			Orchard	
865	Extension of business use into Residence district	Residence B	Mt. Pleasant St.	Granted
866	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence B	Hill St.	Granted
867	Alterations to non-conforming public garage	Residence A	Clinton St.	Granted
868	Use of basement for printing shop (Building Regulation)	Business	Sawyer St.	Supt. sustained
869	Alter 2-family house for 3-family use.....	Residence A	North St.	Granted
872	Alter garage for 1-family use and two doctors offices	Residence A	Union St., E.	Granted
			Orchard	

*With conditions

Note: Residence A—One-family. Residence B—Two-family. Residence C—Multi-family.

The expenses for the year were as follows:

Clerical work	\$150.00
Advertising hearings	149.61
Postage	66.00
Stationery and Supplies	109.30
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Total	\$474.91

The regular members of the board during the year were Francis K. Collins, George O. Gardner, Leo Lemos, George E. Lilley and Coleman Lipman. The associate members were Clarence J. Davoll, Albert Loranger and Stephen D. Peirce.

Respectfully submitted

GEORGE O. GARDNER,

Chairman

ANNUAL REPORT

Board of Appeals for the year 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 14, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the City Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

CHIEF OF POLICE

of the

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

Massachusetts



For the year ending December 31, 1946

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS

January 1, 1947

To the Honorable Arthur N. Harriman, Mayor, and the
City Councillors of the City of New Bedford.

Gentlemen :

I herewith submit the Annual report of the condition and doings of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1946.

On December 31, 1946 the department consisted of the following :

Chief of Police	1	Policewoman	1
Deputy Chief	1	Matrons	2
Captains	5	Principal Clerks	2
Lieutenants	11	Senior Clerks	2
Sergeants	11	Junior Building Custodian	1
Supervisor of Motor Equip- ment	1	Senior Building Custodian	1
Patrolmen	163	Janitress	2
		Total	204

PERSONS CHARGED WITH OFFENSES DURING THE YEAR

Arrested and taken into custody	1763
Summoned	345
Total	2108
Males	1879
Females	229
American born	1688
Foreign born	420
Non-residents	301
Under 17 years of age	207

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

PERSONS CHARGED BY MONTHS

	Total	Males	Females
January	162	147	15
February	137	126	11
March	166	146	20
April	146	126	20
May	144	132	12
June	165	143	22
July	220	189	31
August	192	180	12
September	225	201	24
October	197	166	31
November	176	157	19
December	178	166	12
	<hr/> 2108	<hr/> 1879	<hr/> 229

NATIVITY OF PERSONS CHARGED

Austria	2	Madeira Islands	10
Azores	63	Newfoundland	30
Belgium	8	Norway	72
Bermuda	1	Nova Scotia	5
Canada	65	Prince Edward Island	1
Cape DeVerde Islands	32	Poland	25
China	1	Portugal	16
Brazil	4	New Brunswick	1
Denmark	2	Russia	1
England	47	Scotland	7
Finland	1	St. Helena	1
France	1	Sweden	4
Greece	2	Syria	2
Hungary	3	United States of America	1688
Ireland	9	West Indies	1
Italy	3		
		Total	<hr/> 2108

OFFENSES

	Males	Females	Total
Accosting	1	0	1
Adultery	15	15	30
Assault and battery	173	26	199
Assault with intent to rape	3	0	3
Assault on police officer	5	0	5
Assault with dangerous weapon	13	0	13
Attempt to break and enter to commit larceny	12	0	12
Attempted rape	1	0	1
Breaking, entering and larceny	102	2	104
Breaking glass	4	0	4
Carrying revolver without a permit	6	0	6
Cigarette laws	1	0	1
Concealing leased property	4	2	6
Cruelty to animals	1	0	1
Damage to property	9	1	10
Defrauding lodging house	1	0	1
Deserter	4	0	4
Desertion	2	1	3
Disorderly conduct	13	0	13
Disorderly house	1	0	1
Disturbing the peace	17	4	21
Disturbing public assembly	3	0	3
Drunkenness	799	106	905
Failure to furnish light and water	2	1	3
False alarm of fire	3	0	3
Fish and game laws	3	0	3
Forgery	3	1	4
Fornication	3	7	10
Fraudulent check	4	0	4
Fugitive from justice	3	1	4
Gaming, nuisance	2	0	2
Gaming, present at	40	0	40
Habitual truant	7	0	7
Idle and disorderly	1	9	10
Illegitimate child act	22	0	22
Incest	1	0	1
Indecent exposure	6	0	6
Interferring with police officer	1	0	1
Larceny	126	9	135
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation	19	12	31
Lewdness	3	3	6
Liquor laws	7	0	7

	Males	Females	Total
Lobster laws	2	0	2
Loitering	9	0	9
Lottery	23	0	23
Manslaughter	1	0	1
Misappropriation of automobile	2	0	2
Motor vehicle laws	144	0	144
Murder	2	0	2
Narcotic drug law	1	0	1
Neglect of family	124	10	134
Neglected child	7	6	13
Passing trolley on left side	3	0	3
Possession of black jack	1	0	1
Possession of obscene movies	1	0	1
Rape	7	0	7
Receiving mortgaged property	1	0	1
Receiving stolen property	2	0	2
Refusing to assist an officer	1	0	1
Registering bets on horse races	5	0	5
Robbery	11	1	12
Robbery attempt	3	0	3
Runaway	4	1	5
Removing mortgaged property	1	0	1
Sale of mortgaged property	3	1	4
School attendance law	6	2	8
Shellfish laws	3	0	3
Slot machine	3	0	3
Sodomy	1	0	1
Stubbornness	2	3	5
Threatening bodily harm	6	0	6
Trespass	11	3	14
Unlicensed taxi driver	2	0	2
Unnatural act	5	0	5
Unauthorized use of motor vehicle	16	0	16
Vagrant	5	2	7
Vio. city code—riding horse on sidewalk	1	0	1
Vio. city code—parking	3	0	3
Viol. electricians laws	2	0	2
Viol. labor laws	6	0	6
Viol. weekly wage law	3	0	3
Totals	1879	229	2108

DISPOSITION OF CASES IN THIRD DISTRICT COURT

Placed on file	421
Sentenced to penal institutions and appealed	32
Sentenced to penal institutions and committed	102
Sentenced to penal institutions and suspended	123
Fined and paid	122
Fined and appealed	20
Fined and committed	5
Fined and suspended	72
Fine, penal institution and appealed	1
Fine, penal institution and suspended	5
Department of public welfare committed	8
Defaulted	26
Released	623
Adjudged not guilty	108
Bound over to grand jury	75
Probation	93
Dismissed	245
No probable cause found	2
Delivered to military authorities	6
Insane hospitals	11
Delivered to House of Correction	8
Total	2108

AMOUNT OF FINES PAID IN THIRD DISTRICT COURT

Assault and battery	\$540.00
Assault to rape	25.00
Carrying revolver	100.00
Cigarette law	75.00
Damage to property	25.00
Disturbing the peace	250.00
Disorderly conduct	20.00
Drunkenness	100.00
Evading fare	10.00
Failure to furnish water to tenant	25.00
Fornication	20.00
Gaming	190.00
Gaming implements	75.00
Gaming nuisance	50.00
Interferring with officer	10.00
Larceny	100.00
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation	25.00

Lewdness	100.00
Liquor	425.00
Lottery	1,750.00
Motor Vehicle laws	4,138.00
Possession of obscene movies	200.00
Profanity	10.00
Registering bets	250.00
Riding horse on sidewalk	20.00
Shellfish laws	95.00
True name law	20.00
Using auto without authority	100.00
Total	<hr/> \$8,748.00

DISPOSITION OF SUPERIOR COURT CASES

Filed	16
Penal institution and committed	53
Penal institution and suspended	34
Fined and paid	9
Fined and suspended	3
Probation	18
Adjudged not guilty	7
Nolle prossed	3
Dismissed	1
Total	<hr/> 144

FINES PAID IN SUPERIOR COURT

Assault and battery	\$150.00
Assault with dangerous weapon	150.00
Lottery	550.00
Motor Vehicle laws	285.00
Manslaughter	50.00
Total	<hr/> \$1,185.00

RECAPITULATION OF FINES PAID

Amount of Fines paid in Third District Court	\$8,748.00
Amount of Fines paid in Superior Court—June term	485.00
Amount of Fines Paid in Superior Court—November term	700.00
Total	<hr/> \$9,933.00

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

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COMPLAINTS MADE BY OFFICERS OF THIS DEPARTMENT FOR VIOLATIONS OF MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS

Operating under influence of liquor	87
Operating to endanger	7
Operating unlicensed	31
Operating after license suspended	19
Operating after license revoked	1
Operating without license accessible	3
Operating after right suspended	1
Operating without proper lights	1
Operating without registration accessible	5
Operating unregistered motor vehicle	5
Operating uninsured motor vehicle	5
Permitting operation of unregistered motor vehicle	1
Permitting operation of uninsured motor vehicle	1
Failing to slow at intersection	5
Leaving scene of accident	22
Speeding	12
No inspection sticker	2
Unauthorized number plates	2
Refusing to show license to officer	1
Permitting person to operate who had no legal right	2
Viol. one-way street regulation	1
Failing to stop on signal from officer	5
Defective brakes	4
No stopping at sign	5
License not signed	1
No number plates	1
Passing street car on left side	1
No tail light	1
Taking auto without consent of owner	47
Larceny and attempted larceny of motor vehicle	35
Total	314

WARRANTS AND SUMMONSES SERVED FOR THIS DEPARTMENT BY POLICE OF OTHER CITIES AND TOWNS

Assault and battery	1
Illegitimate child act	4
Larceny	4
Motor vehicle laws	10
Neglect of family	8
Sale of leased property	1
Total	28

WARRANTS AND SUMMONSES SERVED BY THIS
DEPARTMENT FOR THE POLICE OF OTHER
CITIES AND TOWNS

Arson	1
Breaking, entering and larceny	1
Capias	1
City ordinances	2
Contempt of Court	1
Deserter	3
Electrician's law	1
Escaped	4
Fish and game laws	22
Fugitive from justice	1
Larceny	7
Liquor law	1
Motor vehicle laws	151
Neglect of family	10
Parole	4
Probation	1
Runaway	4
Stubborn	1
Unsafe and dangerous piazza	1
Total	<hr/> 217

BICYCLE REGISTRATION

Bicycles registered this year	2226
Money received from registrations	\$556.50
Cash on hand	56.00
Turned in to City Treasurer	500.00
Bicycles impounded this year	135

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL J. HARRINGTON and

JAMES F. GOLDRICK, Patrolmen.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNIT

Following is the report for this unit for the year ending December 31, 1946;

ARRESTS

Promoting lottery	29
Possession of lottery slips	24
Illegal registering race horse bets	5
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation	4
Lewdness	13
Keeping alcoholic beverage	5
Manufacturing alcoholic beverage	1
Larceny of illuminating gas	1
Larceny of water	1
Runaway	1
Idle and disorderly	4
Present at gaming	34
Maintaining gaming nuisance	2
Gaming implements	3
Sale of alcoholic beverage	3
Adultery	8
Unlicensed operator	1
Defective brakes	1
Fornication	4
Delinquent	1
Drunkenness	2
Gaming	6
Neglect of family	1
Club liquor nuisance	1
Not having certificate of registration	1
Not having license endorsed	1
True name law	2
Total	159
Fine paid in Third District Court	\$2,955.00
Fine paid in Superior Court	550.00
Total fines	\$3,505.00
Cases investigated	225
Extra hours of duty	252
Auto accidents investigated	1
Females sent to clinic	6
Traffic complaints	1
Search warrants for gaming	21
Cases appealed to Superior Court	7

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN HILTON

Sergeant

REPORT OF THE DETECTIVE DEPARTMENT

Value of miscellaneous property reported stolen	\$32,833.05
Value of miscellaneous property recovered	8,407.29
Total number of arrests	280
Stolen bicycles recovered	2
Cases investigated	1995
Hours of extra duty	269
Runaway boys returned home	4
Awol soldiers returned	2

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. McCARTY,

Chief Inspector

RETURN B
ANNUAL RETURN OF OFFENSES KNOWN TO POLICE
Part 1 Classes

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES Part 1 Classes 1	Offenses reported or known to Police	Unfounded	Number of actual Offenses	Cleared by Arrest	Not Cleared by Arrest	Reported not Cleared in Other Years Cleared by Arrest
	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Criminal homicide						
a. Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter	2	—	2	2	—	—
Manslaughter by Negligence	3	1	2	1	1	—
2. Rape	16	—	16	14	2	—
3. Robbery	51	3	48	13	35	—
4. Aggravated assault	10	—	10	8	2	—
5. Burglary—Breaking or entering	631	3	628	139	489	4
6. Larceny— theft	185	10	175	57	118	3
a. \$50. and over in value	1019	6	1013	115	898	3
b. Under \$50. in value	250	14	236	35	201	2
7. Auto theft						
Total	2167	37	2130	384	1746	12

RETURN C
ANNUAL RETURN OF PERSONS CHARGED
Part 1 Classes

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES Part 1 Classes	Persons Released by Police (no formal charge)	PERSONS CHARGED BY POLICE			PERSONS FOUND GUILTY THIS YEAR	
		Total Persons Charged	Arrested (taken into custody)	Summoned Notified or Cited	Of offense charged	Of Lesser offense
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Criminal Homicide	—	2	2	—	2	—
a. Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter	—	1	1	—	2	—
b. Manslaughter by Negligence	—	11	11	—	5	2
2. Rape	—	15	15	—	7	1
3. Robbery	—	13	13	—	6	3
4. Aggravated assault	—	116	61	55	67	1
5. Burglary—breaking or entering	—	122	74	48	56	—
6. Larceny—theft	—	16	11	5	3	1
7. Auto theft	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total part 1 Classes	—	296	188	108	148	8

RETURN C ANNUAL RETURN OF PERSONS CHARGED Part 2 Classes

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

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UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES Part 2 Classes		Persons Released by Police (no formal charge)	PERSONS CHARGED BY POLICE			PERSONS FOUND GUILTY THIS YEAR	
1	2		Total Persons Charged	Arrested (taken into custody)	Summoned Notified or Cited	Of offense charged	Of Lesser offense
8. Other assaults	—	—	209	156	53	106	—
9. Forgery and counterfeiting	—	—	4	4	—	1	—
10. Embezzlement and fraud	—	—	4	3	1	—	—
Stolen property:							
11. Buying—Receiving—Possessing	—	—	2	2	—	2	—
12. Weapon carrying, possessing, etc.	—	—	7	6	1	4	—
13. Prostitution and commercial vice	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Sex offenses (except 2 & 13)	—	—	90	89	1	66	—
15. Offenses against the family and Children	—	—	151	86	65	91	—
16. Narcotic drug laws	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
17. Liquor laws	—	—	6	5	1	6	—
18. Drunkenness	—	—	906	906	—	877	—
19. Disorderly Conduct	—	—	71	59	12	40	—
20. Vagrancy	—	—	6	6	—	4	—
21. Gambling	—	—	73	73	—	57	—
22. Driving while intoxicated	—	—	86	86	—	67	—
23. Vio. road and driving laws	—	—	46	21	25	44	—
24. Parking violations	1169	—	71	—	71	71	—
25. Traffic and Motor Vehicle Laws (except 22 and 24)	—	—	16	6	10	14	—
26. All other offenses	—	—	132	66	66	87	—
27. Suspicion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total part 2 Classes	1169	—	1881	1575	306	1537	—
Grand Total—Part 1 and 2 Classes	1169	—	2177	1763	414	1685	8

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

REPORT OF THE TRAFFIC DIVISION

Personnel of the Traffic Division

Lieutenant 1

Officers 17

On traffic posts	12
Motorcycle officers	2
Checking parking regulations	2
Office Duty	1

Arrests	24
Defendant summonses served	176
Witness summonses served	17
Summonses requested	10
Court cases prosecuted	33
Fines paid for same	\$340.00

AUTOMOBILE VIOLATIONS RECORDED

	Traffic Division	Others	Total
Parking violations	1995	1211	3206
Violations of road and driving laws	246	221	467
Violations of equipment and mechanical defects	23	59	82
	<u>2264</u>	<u>1491</u>	<u>3755</u>

NO FIX TAGGING LAW

		Fines Paid for same:	
Traffic Division	840	1 person paid \$3.00	\$3.00
Station No. 1	229	10 persons paid \$2.00 each	20.00
Station No. 2	10	46 persons paid \$1.00 each	46.00
Station No. 5	147	1169 paid nothing	0
Total	<u>1226</u>	Total	<u>\$69.00</u>
Recovered 3 stolen automobiles, valued at			\$2,850.00
Recovered merchandise, valued at			<u>19.27</u>
Total			<u>\$2,869.27</u>
Investigations for Registrar of Motor Vehicles			289
Registration plates returned			126
Investigations for license reinstatement			163
Drivers license recommended suspended			40
Automobile transfers filed			11,690
Lost children found and returned			2
Extra hours of duty			186

Respectfully submitted,

IVAR V. NELSON,

Lieutenant

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

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REPORT OF THE POLICE MATRON

Month	Prisoners	Delinquents	Insane	Lost Children
January	7	1	1	
February	10	1	1	
March	16			4
April	14	3	2	4
May	12	1		
June	19	1		
July	24	1		
August	15	1		
September	23	2		2
October	25		1	3
November	15			
December	11			
Totals	191	11	5	13

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. LAW, Matron.

REPORT OF THE POLICEWOMAN

I herewith submit the following report of my work as Policewoman for the year ending December 31, 1946:

Cases investigated	171
Conferences	577
Girls reporting to me for supervision	108
Homes visited regarding wayward and stubborn girls and consulting with their parents	76
Investigated home conditions	33
Returned missing girl to her home and consulted with her parents	1
Illegitimate child cases investigated by me	1
Accompanying girls for physical examination	6
Accompanying girl to Board of Health Clinic	1
Accompanying girl to Industrial School for Girls	2
Accompanying children to State Department of Public Welfare, State House, Boston	2
Accompanying women to Massachusetts Reformatory	9
Lost children cared for	2
Missing persons reported to me	6
Trips out of town to return prisoners	1
Affidavits taken for this department	17
Arrests made without a warrant	3
Extra hours of duty	120

Service in the various stores throughout the City during rush periods in the daytime; also in the stores each evening during the holiday season.

I have attended Criminal, Juvenile and Superior Court Sessions; Visited the various Cafes and Dance Halls throughout the City; attended Policewomen's Conferences; and have given various talks before Church, Club and Social groups in this city.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE W. DUPUIS, Policewoman.

REPORT OF THE IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

Report of the Bureau of Identification for the year ending December 31, 1946:

Total number of criminal fingerprint cards on file	15,455
Prisoners fingerprinted, during the year	123
Prisoners re-fingerprinted, during the year	20
Cards containing fingerprints of persons wanted, received from Federal Bureau of Identification	72
Cards containing fingerprints of persons wanted, received from State Bureau of Identification	143
Cards containing fingerprints of persons wanted, received from other sources	76
Cards containing fingerprints of prisoners sent to Federal Bureau of Identification	123
Cards containing fingerprints of prisoners sent to State Bureau of Identification	123
Prisoners fingerprinted, having previous local record	65
Prisoners fingerprinted, having other than local record	26
Criminal records received and filed	83
Criminal records furnished other departments	32
Apprehension notices received and noted in our files	47
Notice received of arrest of subjects, having local record	25
Fingerprints taken of persons applying for Federal Civil Service employment	2
Fingerprints taken of persons applying for F. C. C. radio license	96
Fingerprints taken to police officers applying for F. C. C. radio license	3
Fingerprints taken of Veterans, applying for duplicate discharges	8
Fingerprints taken of subjects in U. S. Army Reserve	3
Cards containing fingerprints received from U. S. Coast Guard, searched thru our files	7
Cases investigated:	
Dwelling houses entered (day and night)	25
Buildings entered (day and night)	63
Automobiles stolen and entered	16
Extra hours of duty	72

PHOTOGRAPHIC DIVISION

Films 4 x 5 exposed	221
Prisoners photographed (muggs)	143
Auto accident scenes photographed	38
Crime scenes photographed	22
Photographs taken of persons assaulted (males)	12
Photographs taken of persons assaulted (females)	2
Miscellaneous, bicycles stolen and damaged	4
Films 2¼ x 3¼ exposed	44
Fingerprints photographed at crime scenes	27
Copy negatives made of photos of persons wanted	15
Miscellaneous, copy negatives made of signatures	2

PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINTS

Photo prints (4 x 5) Muggs	704
Photo prints (4 x 5) muggs, sent to Federal Bureau	123
Photo prints (4 x 5) muggs, sent to State Bureau	123
Photo prints (4 x 5) muggs, furnished other departments	66
Photo prints (4 x 5) muggs, persons wanted	42

PHOTOGRAPHIC ENLARGEMENTS

Photo enlargements, auto accident scenes	43
Photo enlargements, crime scenes	22
Photo enlargements, persons assaulted	28
Miscellaneous, photo enlargements of bicycles and signatures	6
Hours in Court	57
Cards and photos in Modus Operandi File	2,937
Parolees photos received and filed in Modus Operandi File	6

Respectfully submitted,

MANUEL SIMMONS,

Bureau of Identification

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF RADIO CAR SERVICE

Auto accidents investigated	408
Auto—hit and run—arrested	8
Auto—drunken drivers, arrested	35
Auto—stolen and recovered	82
Auto violations reported	478
Auto violations reported, Court action	45
Arrests for drunkenness	502
Arrests for other causes	393
Breaks and burglary, called to	180
Boys and gangs disturbing	1251
Bicycles without lights	77
Bicycles stolen, recovered	23
Damage to property, reported	143
Disturbances, street	443
Disturbances, domestic	550
Fires attended	339
Investigations	4895
License applications, investigated	322
Lost persons found	115
Messages delivered	1950
Miscellaneous	7475
Public wires broken	14
Prowlers and suspicious persons	166
Summons, witness	449
Summons defendant	294
Sick, drunk or injured persons assisted	222
Suicides and attempts	24

21,082

Value of property recovered	\$66,823.29
Messages sent out	11,761
Test calls sent out	900
Mileage No. 1 car	33,017
Mileage No. 2 car	50,796
Mileage No. 3 car	56,905
Mileage No. 4 car	36,886
Mileage No. 5 car	45,369
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	222,973

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS OF THE DEPARTMENT

Miscellaneous property reported stolen, valued at	\$103,772.74
236 automobiles stolen, valued at	157,005.00
203 bicycles reported stolen, valued at	6,080.70
Miscellaneous property recovered, valued at	14,947.61
237 automobiles recovered, valued at	157,140.00
140 bicycles recovered	4,210.70
4 automobiles not recovered this year, valued at	2,900.00
63 bicycles not recovered this year, valued at	1,870.00
21 Automobiles recovered for other departments, value	12,350.00
Property reported lost, valued at	9,402.09
Lost property found, valued at	2,250.85

MISCELLANEOUS

Ambulance calls	6011
Appl. for common victualler license	155
Appl. for lodging house license	124
Appl. for soft drinks license	12
Appl. for Sunday privilege	275
Bicycles found	140
Buildings found open and then secured	542
Cases investigated	19,570
Dangerous dogs reported	83
Dangerous wires reported	16
Defective hydrants reported	9
Defective streets and sidewalks	396
Dead bodies found	33
Disturbances suppressed	1948
Fires attended	80
Fire alarms given	1
Fire alarms given, still	8
Fires extinguished without alarms	4
Intoxicated persons helped home	7
Juror lists investigated	1409
Lost persons found and returned home	143
Messages delivered	1933
Notices served	8
Officers assigned	1264
Search warrants served for stolen property	1
Sick and injured persons assisted	222

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE 21 s

Stolen automobiles recovered	237
Street obstructions reported	3
Street obstructions removed	2
Water running to waste	17
Witnesses summoned	539

AUTOMOBILES STOLEN AND RECOVERED

Number of motor vehicles stolen locally	236
Number of motor vehicles recovered	237
Number of Motor vehicles not recovered	4
Number of automobiles recovered this year, stolen last year	5
Number of motor vehicles recovered for other departments	21

BICYCLES STOLEN AND RECOVERED

Number of bicycles stolen locally	203
Number of bicycles recovered	140
Number of bicycles not recovered	63

PERSONS REPORTED MISSING

*Under 21 years of age (1 man missing in 1945 returned in 1946)

Classification	Missing	Returned	Still missing
* Boys	68	68	
* Girls	34	34	
Men	24	22	2
Women	19	19	

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS WHERE INJURY TO PERSONS RESULTED

Number of accidents where injury to persons resulted	642
Number of persons fatally injured	7
Number of persons severely injured	31
Number of persons not severely injured	761
Total	799

(included in the above)

Under 16 years of age injured	199
Under 16 years of age fatally injured	1

GAMEWELL POLICE SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT

Number of duty calls	206,344
Wagon runs	804
Number of telephone calls	128,522

PERSONNEL OF THE FORCE

CHIEF

John W. Davies

DEPUTY CHIEF

Raphael Pieraccini

CAPTAINS

Edward O. Brophy
Charles FellWilliam H. McCarty
William S. P. Murphy
Albert B. MacKinstry

LIEUTENANTS

Thomas E. Carr
Owen J. Cox
Albion G. Davis
Wilfred H. Dupuis
Edgar E. HeadIvar V. Nelson
John J. O'Rourke
John P. Smith, Jr.
John H. Pollock
George A. Wilson
Robert W. Hirst

SERGEANTS

Wilfrid Cote
Michael J. Cawley
Vincent S. Cotnoir
Michael J. Deane
Joseph H. DonnellyErnest A. Lague
Albert Livesey
Joseph O'Rourke
Joseph A. Pelletier
John Sheredenski, Jr.
John Hilton

SUPERVISOR OF MOTOR EQUIPMENT

James D. Gatenby

TRAFFIC DIVISION

Ivar V. Nelson

SPECIAL INVESTIGATING UNIT

John Hilton

CLERKS

P. Bert Taylor
Grace E. BourneHelene C. Trought
Adele A. Adamowska

POLICEWOMAN

Alice W. Dupuis

MATRONS

Alexina C. Gachet

Mary E. Law

PATROLMEN

John P. Adamowski
Leo S. Aque
Antone A. Arruda
David M. Aulizio
John Balut
Robert L. Barbour
Harold W. Barton
R. Albert Beauregard
Francis P. Benedetti
Ernest A. Berube
Leo A. Berube
Hargraves Blackburn
Raymond Blackburn
James J. Bramwell
Gelose F. Brault
Vincent P. Brault
Henri E. Brien
Nicholas J. Butler
George B. Carrier
James M. Carroll
Thomas F. Cawley
John Cayton
William Chapman
Erick M. Chaput
Onat A. Chausse
Hugh A. Clayton
Leslie E. Coon
Augustus J. Correia
Joseph W. Cotter
John J. Coughlin
John H. Craft
Joseph F. Cruz
Albert L. Cummings
William J. Cunniff
Ronald Dean
Leonard DeCunha
Frank DeMello
Manuel DeMello
Joseph A. C. Desjardins
Alfred U. DesRoches
Louis H. Desroches
Victor DeTerra
Stephen P. Downey
William W. Dresner
Gifford L. Durfee
Richard J. Enos
Frederick J. Farrell
Alfred Figueira
George H. Flugel

Harry M. Fuller
Leopold H. Galonska
Henry P. Gero
Lawrence Gillick
Daniel J. Goldrick
James F. Goldrick
Antonio S. Gomes
John R. Gonsalves
Charles S. Goulart, Jr.
George P. Grant
Alfred F. Greenwood
Gordon R. Grindrod
Harry C. Hall
Edmund A. Harrington
Michael J. Harrington
Harry C. Hawes
James M. Hickey
William B. Hickey
Henry M. Hill, Jr.
George Hollingsworth
Thomas A. Hughes
William F. Hughes
George R. Hutchison
Joseph Hutchinson
Sylvester Jackson
Emery W. Johnson
Harry Johnson
Edwin M. Jones
John Kaczorowski
John A. Kane
Edward R. Karl
Albert W. Kelley
Eugene J. Kelley
Michael J. Kelley
Harry Kenyon
Alexander J. King
George J. Koutroumpis
Henri LaFrance
Wilfred Lague
William T. J. LaRoche
Robert Lees
Joseph G. Levesque
Timothy E. Loomis
James Loughran
William J. McAdams
Edward J. McGuire
Frederick J. McLoughlin
Thomas J. McNeeley
Antone Martins

Napoleon O. Masse
 Edward G. Mello
 Gabriel D. Mello
 John S. Mendonca
 Joseph A. Messier
 Francis C. Moore
 Hugh J. Moore
 Thomas F. Moore
 Patrick J. Muldoon
 Francis A. Murphy
 John A. Nelson
 Milton E. Nichols
 William F. O'Donnell
 Martin F. O'Dowd
 Titonio F. Oliveira
 Thomas O'Rourke
 Antonio J. Pabis
 William G. Parkins, Jr.
 Joseph Albert Pelletier
 Edward Prifogle
 Joseph L. Quail
 Joseph L. Rainville
 Josephat E. Rainville
 William Raymond
 Michael J. Reddy
 George H. Reed
 William Riley, Jr.
 William F. Robbins
 Charles F. Roberts
 Gideon D. Rogers
 Joseph F. Ryan
 Edward U. Sanford
 Normand O. E. Sauve

William Schmidt
 Arthur J. Seddon
 David S. Seddon
 Ernest D. Seddon
 John H. Seddon
 Harold H. Sheffield
 Manuel S. Silva
 Miguel M. Silva
 Manuel Simmons
 Sidney H. Smith
 Harry Spence
 Charles A. Spooner
 Ernest N. Stevens
 Joseph E. St. Pierre
 John T. Sullivan
 Charles E. Sykes
 Archie A. Sylvia
 William Trought, Jr.
 Antoine Turgeon
 John H. Upham
 Antone Ventura
 John P. Walsh
 Joseph Waring
 Anthony J. Welch
 George F. Wiley
 Francis C. Wilkinson
 John O. Williams
 Francis J. Wilson
 Henry B. Winterson
 George F. Wise
 Frederick Wood
 Albert Woolfenden

BUILDING CUSTODIANS

Arthur Lamoureux
 John C. Glowacki

JANITRESS

Mary A. Dearden
 Ellen A. McGlynn

RETIRED ON PENSION

William Almond, Jr.
 William W. Atwood
 Ellverado Bedford
 Max F. Boehler
 Stephen K. Bonney
 Michael J. Brennan
 Myron S. A. Briggs
 Ellery E. Brightman
 Edward Burgess
 John H. Burgess
 John F. Burke
 Fred C. Calnen
 James Carr, Jr.
 Eudore M. Carroll

Joseph W. Cayton
 Raymond Chase
 Albert J. Chenel
 Albert A. Crapo, Jr.
 William S. Cushing
 Moses J. Dalton
 James Deane
 Edward P. Doherty
 James J. Downey
 John K. Doyle
 Arthur A. Dufresne
 Lawrence J. Durant
 Harry C. Ellis
 John F. Fanning

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

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Albert M. Faunce
Joseph A. Fernandes
Harry Fowler
Manuel Freitas
James S. Gatenby
Nathaniel Gibbs
Joseph Gobeil
William Gregory
Luke T. Haran
Charles M. Howes
Henry Irwin, Jr.
Frederick Karcher, Jr.
Joseph E. A. Landreville
William A. Lapierre
Eugene T. J. Larochele
Jesse Law, Jr.
William Timothy Leahy
Albert T. Lemrise
Joseph A. Lentz
Peter Lussier
Joseph A. MacFarlane
Frank S. Machado
Manuel Machado
Joseph S. Manning
John E. Maynard
John H. McCrohan
James E. McGoff
Samuel D. McLeod

John J. McNamee
James G. Meade
James J. Moore
Albert E. Mosher
Thomas Muldoon
Doran L. Mullins
Robert H. Murdy
Edward Murphy
Charles F. Nickerson
Charles G. Patterson
George J. Nunes
Anthony E. Perry
James M. Pettey
David J. Poirier
Edward Raymond
Joseph J. Reedy
Thomas Seddon, Jr.
Matthew Sullivan
Antone F. Sylvia
Frank A. Torres
Joseph V. Turgeon
Thomas A. Valentine
Augustus F. Velho
Robert F. Vogel
Albert B. White
Seth A. Wilcox
Benjamin F. Williams, Jr.
Charles H. Williams

APPOINTMENTS

Joseph E. R. Cote
George H. Flugel
John Kaczorowski

Gabriel D. Mello
Joseph Albert Pelletier

PROMOTIONS

Patrolman Michael J. Cawley promoted to Sergeant
Patrolman Joseph Arsene Pelletier promoted to Sergeant

RESIGNED

Patrolman Armand H. Robitaille
Patrolman Joseph E. R. Cote
Senior Clerk Helen H. Coutinho

COMMENDED DURING THE YEAR

Patrolman Ernest A. Berube
Patrolman Henri E. Brien
Patrolman Leslie E. Coon
Patrolman Augustus J. Correia
Patrolman Frank DeMello
Patrolman Charles S. Goulart
Patrolman Henry M. Hill, Jr.
Patrolman James Loughran

RETIRED ON PENSION DURING THE YEAR

Lieutenant Augustus F. Velho
Patrolman Edward J. Burgess
Patrolman John H. Burgess
Patrolman Michael J. Brennan
Patrolman Eudore M. Carroll
Patrolman Albert Crapo, Jr.
Patrolman Moses J. Dalton
Patrolman Arthur A. Dufresne
Patrolman Harry Fowler
Patrolman Joseph Gobeil
Patrolman Charles M. Howes
Patrolman Eugene T. J. Larochelle
Patrolman Albert T. Lemrise
Patrolman Joseph A. Lentz
Patrolman Peter Lussier
Patrolman Manuel Machado
Patrolman John E. Maynard
Patrolman John H. McCrohan
Patrolman John J. McNamee

IN MEMORIAM

CAPTAIN ANTHONY C. LEMAIRE

Died March 5, 1946

Age 59 years, 4 months, 13 days

PATROLMAN JOHN F. LYNCH

Died March 29, 1946

Age 46 years, 6 months, 28 days

PATROLMAN TIMOTHY F. HAGGERTY, Retired

Died June 18, 1946

Age 63 years, 7 months

PATROLMAN JOHN J. MITCHELL, Jr.

Died October 8, 1946

Age 44 years, 3 months, 24 days

REMARKS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

In presenting my report for this year, I am still on record as recommending the installation of a teletype system of communication. We are entirely dependent on the State Police at Wareham, Massachusetts for a communication system of this nature. Every call placed requires a toll charge and in no way renders the service a teletype system would furnish. A teletype would place this department in a position to be informed on all police matters in other areas.

At this time, I wish to thank his Honor the Mayor, the City Government, the Press, the Radio Broadcast, and the Public for the cooperation given to this department in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. DAVIES,

Chief of Police.

ANNUAL REPORT

Chief of Police, for the year ending December 31, 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL,

October 23, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the city documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
BOARD OF PUBLIC
WELFARE
FOR THE YEAR 1946



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

William A. Higgins

Chairman

Lionel B. LeDuc

Board Member

Louis A. Cordeiro

Board Member

Joseph A. Desjardins

Principal Social Worker

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE T 3

To His Honor the Mayor and the Members of the City
Government of the City of New Bedford

Gentlemen:

The Board of Public Welfare respectfully submits herewith its annual report for the year 1946.

The gross expenditures for public assistance for the year 1946 were \$2,227,318.57, a 22% increase over 1945 expenditures. This large increase occurred during what was considered a prosperous year. However, the increase was not due to economic conditions but, for the greater part, to the liberalization of our public assistance laws and increased budgets.

The three categories of public assistance — General Relief, Aid to Dependent Children and Old Age Assistance — all showed increases. The increase for the Old Age Assistance division amounted to \$338,805.53 or 23.6%. As pointed out in the report last year, the Old Age Assistance Act was extensively liberalized during the 1945 legislative session. The changes became effective January 1, 1946 and, as the year went on, the increases became greater. This was due to the fact that as time passed more people took advantage of the liberalized law and, also, the cost for doctors and medicine continued to increase month by month. In addition to these two changes in the law, the State Department increased the budgets for Old Age Assistance recipients twice during the year which also resulted in a large increase in the expenditures. We can feel certain that the year 1947 will continue to show an increase in Old Age Assistance expenditures due to the fact that the full benefits of the liberalized legislative changes and increased State budgets were not effective during the entire year. We must also realize that any further changes in the present law or any further increase in the State budget will naturally result in another material increase. As pointed out previously, the Standards of Assistance, or budget, as set up by the State Department of Public Welfare is mandatory. A large number of the persons who are now retiring from industry and who have reached the age of sixty-five are eligible for Federal Old Age Benefits but the trouble here is that the amounts granted are insufficient to meet the State budget and we are therefore called on to supplement that type of Federal aid.

The Aid to Dependent Children division showed an increase of nearly \$20,000.00 in 1946 and we can anticipate an even greater increase during 1947. Budgets for this form of assistance are now mandatory and increases for Old Age Assistance also apply to Aid to Dependent Children. Many people are under the impression that this is State Aid. However, the City of New Bedford paid more than 45% of the gross cost in 1946 and the State and Federal government paid the remaining 55%. Despite the fact that we are the largest contributor we are bound by the rules and regulations of the State Department of Public Welfare and their interpretations are, to say the least, very broad. However, if we are to continue to receive reimbursements we must forget that there is such a thing as home rule.

The General Relief increase for the year amounted to more than \$33,000.00. This form of assistance, unlike Old Age Assistance and Aid to Dependent Children, is considered temporary aid. The size of the case load in this category depends to a great extent on economic conditions. During the war years, the reductions in expenditures for General Relief were, of course, considerable. We now, however, are faced with increasing unemployment and laying off of former recipients who were able to secure some form of light work during the war years. They have now started to return to the rolls and, because of their intermittent employment, many of them are not eligible for Unemployment Compensation. The liberalization of our laws and the increased cost of living has also materially affected the expenditures for General Relief. The cost of this form of assistance for New Bedford settled cases is paid for in its entirety by the City. However, there is before Congress at the present time legislation which will permit reimbursement to Cities and Towns for General Relief.

In looking to the future, the Board would like to repeat that the dispensing of welfare has undergone many changes in the last few years. The continued liberalization along with the broad interpretation of all forms of assistance has given the Welfare Department of today many serious problems. The problems of a great many of our recipients require the attention and services of all of us and the increasing demand upon the department for social services due to the physical condition of a large number

of our recipients is tremendous. The old days of forwarding a check and letting it go at that is a thing of the past.

Once again the Chairman repeats what he has said for a number of years and that is that the three categories of assistance should be integrated. This change would increase efficiency, eliminate duplication and would definitely result in a reduction in administrative costs. This integration is now in effect in some cities in the State. However, New York State is ahead of Massachusetts in this respect in that they have integrated all forms of assistance throughout the entire State. Our problem here in New Bedford has been, and still is, the lack of space on one floor to provide sufficient room for the integration of the three categories.

The problems at the City Infirmary during the past year were very similar to those of 1945. The scarcity of competent personnel has proved a handicap and had it not been for the whole-hearted cooperation of the present staff this would have been a very serious situation. This problem is not a local one but one that has affected institutions and hospitals throughout the State.

The cooling system that was installed in 1945 proved a life saver when, during the early part of the summer, it was impossible to secure meats from any source. The fact that we had the freezer permitted us to have a sufficient supply so that the inmates and personnel did not go without meat during the shortage.

In closing, the Board wishes to express its appreciation to the Mayor and City Council, to the Supervisor and the staff of District 6, State Department of Public Welfare, to our local private charitable organizations, and to the many business and manufacturing concerns who have continued to cooperate with us throughout the year.

Respectfully yours,

William A. Higgins

Chairman

EXPENDITURES FOR FISCAL YEAR 1946

ADMINISTRATION:

Salaries and Wages	\$24,144.89	
Cost-of-Living Adjustment	1,951.04	
General Expenses:		
Motor Maintenance	\$246.12	
Postage, Tel. & Exp.	198.70	
Printing & Binding	401.25	
Stationery & Supplies	90.05	
Travel & Transportation	249.38	
All Other	42.25	1,227.75
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		\$27,323.68

AID:

Board & Care	\$ 7,128.74	
Burials	4,363.75	
Cash Grants	\$147,334.98	
Cities & Towns	5,653.56	
Confinements	95.25	
Dental & Optical	368.25	
Fuel	1,824.58	
Groceries	775.16	
Hospitals	20,454.65	
Medicine	3,360.51	
Outside Physicians	78.00	
Shoes	1,579.37	
State Institutions	10,758.74	
All Other	398.77	
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		204,174.31

Total Administration and Aid \$231,497.99

SUMMARY

Aid		\$204,174.31
Administration		27,323.68
Total Expenditures		<u>231,497.99</u>
Reimbursements for Aid from:		
State	\$23,812.89	
Cities & Towns	7,933.55	
Individuals	2,515.52	
Miscellaneous	188.22	34,450.18
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Net cost to city		\$197,047.81

The following cases were granted hospital care during the year 1946: 116 House and 145 Clinic cases having New Bedford settlements; 20 House and 21 Clinic cases having no settlements; and 8 House and 15 Clinic cases having other Cities and Towns settlements, making a total of 144 House and 181 Clinic cases. In addition, there was one home confinement.

The physicians attached to the Board made 739 house visits and had 767 office calls from recipients of Temporary Aid.

The Board of Health requested this department to procure histories and determine settlements of 86 cases.

ADULTS AND CHILDREN
AIDED BYBOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE
AS WARDS IN 1946

	Cases	Persons
Sacred Heart Home	10	10
St. Mary's Home	6	12
Massachusetts Hospital School	3	3
In care of Division of Child Guardianship	15	15
New Bedford Cases with Relatives	3	3
New Bedford Children's Aid Society	4	5
St. Joseph's Orphanage, Fall River	3	6
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CITY INFIRMARY EXPENSES, 1946

Salaries and Wages	\$42,644.24
Cost-of-living Adjustment	5,584.01
Pensions	1,336.92
General Expenses	29,138.83
New Equipment	173.00
*Maintenance	5,615.67
Total Expenditures	<u>\$84,492.67</u>

Reimbursements:

Infirmary Board from		
Individuals	\$3,655.38	
Cities & Towns	405.27	
State	5,129.01	
Miscellaneous	<u>137.72</u>	
Total Reimbursements		<u>9,327.38</u>
Net cost to city		\$75,165.29

*The appropriation for the maintenance of the City Infirmary is now carried in the Building Department appropriation and this sum was spent by that department for maintenance.

PRODUCE GROWN AND MEAT SLAUGHTERED IN 1946
FOR CONSUMPTION AT THE CITY INFIRMARY
PRODUCE GROWN

642 bushels	Potatoes
13 bushels	Lettuce
23 bushels	Beets
67 bushels	Carrots
92 bushels	Onions
46 bushels	Green Beans
48 bushels	Cabbage
62 bushels	Tomatoes
55 bushels	Sweet Corn
65 bushels	Husked Corn (for pigs)
2½ tons	Squash
85 bushels	Turnips
50 tons	Silage Corn (cow feed)
184	Cantelopes
79,248 lbs. or 39,624 qts.	Milk
5,027 dozen	Eggs

MEAT SLAUGHTERED

135 Young Roosters,	weight	945 lbs.
23 Hogs	, weight	4,135 lbs.
3 Cows	, weight	1,875 lbs.
1 Bull	, weight	1,275 lbs.
6 Veal	, weight	670 lbs.
4 Lambs	, weight	350 lbs.

Receipts from sale of Stock and Miscellaneous	\$ 137.72
Receipts from Board of Persons	9,189.66
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	9,327.38

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

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BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

FOR AID AND ADMINISTRATION

EXPENDITURES-AID:

Cash Disbursements	\$1,716,192.43
Other Aid - Cities and Towns	8,204.90
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	1,724,397.33

RECEIPTS - AID:

Federal Grants	\$ 687,580.41
Commonwealth Receipts	710,798.38
Cities and Towns	11,847.90
Refunds and Recoveries	6,484.60
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	\$1,416,711.29

EXPENDITURES - ADMINISTRATION:

Salaries and Wages		\$40,150.02
Cost-of-living Adjustment		4,599.04
General Expenses:		
Motor Maintenance	\$ 248.97	
Postage, Tel & Exp.	1,732.80	
Printing & Binding	109.35	
Stationery & Supplies	341.84	
Travel & Transportation	\$560.00	
All Other	113.35	
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		3,106.31
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		\$47,855.37

RECEIPTS - ADMINISTRATION:

Federal Grants	\$22,931.11
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BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Receipts and Expenditures for Aid and Administration for 1946:

Appropriation for Aid:

Certified by Board of Public Welfare	\$1,045,000.00	
Federal Grants	687,580.41	
Total Receipts	1,732,580.41	
Total Aid Expenditures	1,724,397.33	
Balance unexpended December 31, 1946		\$8,183.08
Appropriation for Administration:		
Balance on hand January 1, 1946	\$ 229.55	
Certified by Board of Public Welfare		
for Salaries and Wages	17,769.79	
General Expenses	4,340.00	
New Equipment	400.00	
Federal Grants	22,931.11	
Total Receipts	45,670.45	
Total Administration Expenditures	43,256.33	
Balance unexpended December 31, 1946		\$2,414.12
Expenditures for Aid	\$1,724,397.33	
Less reimbursements received or due from:		
Federal Government	\$730,706.75	
State	679,655.78	
Cities & Towns	13,351.26	
Refunds & Recoveries	6,484.60	1,430,198.39
Net cost to city for Aid		\$294,198.94
Expenditures for Administration	\$47,855.37	
Less Federal reimbursements	22,931.11	
Net cost to city for Administration		24,924.26
Total net cost to city for Old Age Assistance		\$319,123.20

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, 1946

EXPENDITURES:

AID	\$137,227.75	
Administration:		
Salaries and Wages	\$5,983.88	
Cost-of-Living Adjustment	640.96	
Pension	441.14	
General Expenses	397.15	7,463.13
Total Expenditures		<u>\$144,690.88</u>

REIMBURSEMENTS RECEIVED IN 1946:

Federal reimbursements for Aid	\$32,788.67	
State reimbursements for Aid	42,077.19	
Federal reimbursements for Administration	3,930.60	
Total reimbursements received		<u>78,796.46</u>
Net cost to city		<u>\$65,894.42</u>

TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND RECEIPTS FOR 1946

Total Expenditures	\$2,227,318.57
Total Receipts	<u>1,575,703.52</u>
Net cost to city	\$651,615.05

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

ANNUAL REPORT

Board of Public Welfare, for the year 1946

In CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed
in the city documents

Charles W. Deasy, City Clerk

Attest:

Charles W. Deasy, City Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

OF THE

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

FOR THE YEAR

1946

SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 1947

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor, Chairman ex-officio

WILLIAM E. GIFFORD, Vice-Chairman

ALLEN P. KEITH, Superintendent Emeritus

W. KENNETH BURKE, Superintendent and Secretary

TERM EXPIRES 1948

Name	Residence	Place of Business
Dr. John T. Barrows, Jr.	1083 Rockdale Ave.	96 Thompson St.
William E. Gifford	79 Florence St.	97 Rodney French Boulevard
Thomas C. Moriarty	304 Summer St.	758 Purchase St.
August C. Taveira	216 James St.	222 Union St.

TERM EXPIRES 1950

Donat F. Fortin	19 Clifford St.	
W. Edward Metcalf	407 Coggeshall St.	405 Coggeshall St.

IN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

December 27, 1946

Voted: That the Secretary be directed to prepare and edit the Annual Report of the School Committee for the year 1946 and that eight hundred copies of the same be printed.

The following report for the year 1946 is respectfully submitted:

Report of the School Committee

STATISTICS

POPULATION AND VALUATION

The population of the city (census of 1890) was	40,705
The population of the city (census of 1895) was	55,251
The population of the city (census of 1900) was	62,442
The population of the city (census of 1905) was	74,321
The population of the city (census of 1910) was	96,652
The population of the city (census of 1915) was	109,462
The population of the city (census of 1920) was	121,217
The population of the city (census of 1925) was	119,539
The population of the city (census of 1930) was	112,804
The population of the city (census of 1935) was	110,022
The population of the city (census of 1940) was	110,214
The population of the city (census of 1945) was	110,308
Valuation of the taxable property (1946) was	\$98,594,475.00
Schoolhouses and lots	6,392,500.00
Other school property	639,890.11

APPROPRIATION

Rate of taxation (per \$1,000.00)	\$45.20
Amount for general school purposes not including new buildings	\$1,678,891.37

SCHOOL CENSUS

Number of children between five and sixteen years of age, and illiterates (not having completed Grade 6A) between sixteen and twenty-one years of age, reported by the Attendance Department in accordance with the census record taken October 1, 1946:

Between 5 and 7 years	2,885
Between 7 and 16 years	11,844
Between 16 and 21 years	590

SCHOOL REPORT

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SCHOOL ORGANIZATION, SEPTEMBER 1, 1946

High School	1
Junior High Schools	2
Grammar Schools	5
Elementary Schools	26
Continuation Schools	3
Fresh Air Classes	2
Hospital Classes	1
Conservation of Eyesight Classes	2
Class for the Deaf	1
Cooking Rooms	2
Manual Training Rooms	2
Special Classes for Mentally Retarded	9
Kindergartens	17
Workshop Classes	4

SCHOOL BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 1, 1946

Administration Building	1
Permanent Schoolhouses	36
Portable Schoolhouses	5
Frame Buildings	2

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(Excluding State-Aided Schools)

	1946	1945		
*Enrollment of pupils	11,450	11,830	decrease	380
Average membership	10,898	11,104	decrease	206
Average daily attendance	10,057	10,221	decrease	164
Aggregate attendance	1,822,200	1,851,597	decrease	29,397

PRIVATE AND PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS

	1946	1945		
*Enrollment of pupils	4,736	4,597	increase	139
Average membership	4,598	4,398	increase	200
Average daily attendance	4,368	4,081	increase	287
Aggregate attendance	952,348	832,168	increase	120,180

*Not including pupils enrolled elsewhere in the State during the school year.

PUBLIC, PRIVATE AND PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS

(Excluding State-Aided Schools)

	1946	1945		
*Enrollment of pupils	16,186	16,427	decrease	241
Average membership	15,496	15,502	decrease	6
Average daily attendance	14,425	14,302	increase	123
Aggregate attendance	2,774,548	2,683,765	increase	90,783

*Not including pupils enrolled elsewhere in the State during the school year.

For the year beginning Sept. 4, 1945, ending June 21, 1946

	Total Membership	Average Membership	Average Daily Attendance	Aggregate Attendance
High,	1,859	1,746	1,649	296,813
Junior High,	1,756	1,592	1,482	268,875
Elementary,	8,478	7,560	6,926	1,256,512

CONTINUATION SCHOOLS

Total Membership	Enrolled	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Aggregate Attendance (4 hr. days)	Total Make-up (4 hr. days)
184	184	87	80	2,923	488

GENERAL VOCATIONAL CLASSES

Total Membership	Enrolled	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Aggregate Attendance (6 hr. days)
280	197	117	100	18,113

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

September 1945 — June 1946

	College Classical			College Scientific			College General			Civic			Commercial			Total		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
4's	6	15	21	75	8	83	2	70	72	4	2	6	54	140	194	141	235	376
3's	9	21	30	102	10	112	6	76	82	8	4	12	67	199	266	192	310	502
2's	30	45	75	101	7	108	0	94	94	18	6	24	101	154	255	250	306	556
1's	24	42	66	84	2	86	6	59	65	2	0	2	49	114	163	165	217	382
	69	123	192	362	27	389	14	299	313	32	12	44	271	607	878	748	1068	1816

Graduates, 1946 — 382

GRADE-AGE TABLE, OCTOBER 1, 1946

AGE GRADES	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Accel.	Norm.	Ret'd	Totals	
	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.	Yrs.					
Kgn.	B 117 138	285 260	1																117 138	258 260	2 0	377 398	
1st	B G	175 144	355 328	78 57	16 9	7 1																	
2nd	B G		112 113	270 212	127 84	44 31	12 5	3 1	1										175 144	433 385	23 10	631 539	
3rd	B G			1 93	224 87	156 95	94 50	26 12	10 6	2									94 87	380 319	132 68	606 474	
4th	B G				5 88	235 222	118 90	87 47	12 16	4 2			1						83 88	353 312	151 65	587 465	
5th	B G					1 8	59 75	169 199	127 98	108 53	39 24	6 1	4 1						60 83	296 297	158 78	514 458	
6th	B G							43 74	151 184	89 64	62 40	29 11	12 6						43 75	240 248	103 57	386 380	
7th	B G								55 108	154 180	64 83	29 37	7 20	1 2					55 108	277 263	101 59	433 430	
8th	B G								1 58	150 199	99 109	60 39	12 5	1					59 73	249 308	72 45	380 426	
9th	B G								2 2	66 93	177 220	104 83	38 20	13 1					68 95	281 303	51 21	400 419	
10th	B G									48 93	97 188	93 82	23 15	3 2	3 2	3 6	5 5		50 93	190 270	40 17	280 380	
11th	B G									1 91	29 137	63 49	39 10	14 10	8 1	9 1	9 1		102 186	172 291	40 13	172 291	
12th	B G										3 89	55 108	53 20	14 3	12 20	9 3	17 3		58 92	67 128	38 3	163 223	
Boys		117	433	469	446	447	501	436	450	469	428	338	270	129	31	23	24	31	1004	3523	971	5498	
Girls		138	404	441	356	413	425	418	451	393	441	472	430	335	174	32	4	1	1281	3575	473	5329	
Total		255	837	910	802	860	926	854	901	862	897	900	768	605	303	63	27	25	32	2285	7098	1444	10827
Boys %																			18.3%	64.1%	17.6%		
Girls %																			24.4%	67.1%	8.9%		
Total %																			21.1%	65.6%	13.3%		

Atypical Classes not included in this table.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Brief description of the schoolhouses, with their accommodations and conditions, January 1, 1947

Name of School	Location	Material	No. of stories	No. of rooms	No. of halls	No. gymnasiums	No. of sittings	Year completed	Approximate cost	No. Portables	Year purchased	Approximate cost
101 School Committee Rooms	166 William St.	Wood	2	88	2	2	2,200	1851	\$12,150	1	1925	\$6,262
201 High	County St., Head of William St.	Brick	3	40	1	2	1,200	1912-35	1,200,000			
202 Normandin Junior High	Tarklin Hill Road and Felton St.	Brick	3	40	1	2	1,200	1927	584,430			
201 Roosevelt Junior High	Frederick St., near Brock Ave.	Brick	3	40	1	2	1,200	1927	591,044			
302 Parker Street	Parker and Summer Sts.	Brick	3	12	1	2	504	1852	106,675			
303 Hosae M. Knowlton	Parker and Coggeshall Sts.	Brick	3	19	1	1	621	1906	140,400			
304 Clarence A. Cook	Summer and Mill Sts.	Brick	2	18	1	1	717	1922	566,311			
305 Pleasant and Russell Sts.		Brick	3	10	1	1	420	1860	45,675			
306 Robert C. Ingraham	Rivet and Blackmer Sts.	Brick	3	12	1	1	504	1901	110,925			
307 James B. Congdon	Hemlock and Thompson Sts.	Brick	3	16	1	1	672	1908	133,375			
351 Thomas Donaghy	South St. and Acushnet Ave.	Brick	2	12	1	1	441	1905	101,975			
352 William H. Taylor	Brock Ave.	Brick	2	12	1	1	504	1898	116,525			
353 Charles S. Ashley	Ashley Blvd. and Rochambeau St.	Brick	2	20	1	1	801	1922	721,082			
354 Thomas R. Rodman	Allen St. and Rockdale Ave.	Brick	2	10	1	1	420	1908	102,725			
355 Jireh Swift	Lunds Corner	Brick	3	10	1	1	420	1909	110,025			
356 Abraham Lincoln	Ashley Blvd. and Glennon St.	Brick	3	20	1	1	840	1911	186,650			
357 Betsey B. Winslow	Allen and Reed Sts.	Brick	3	12	1	1	432	1912	191,150			
358 Mt. Pleasant	Mt. Pleasant and Sawyer Sts.	Brick	2	20	1	1	840	1922	673,118			
359 John B. DeValles	Katharine and Bonney Sts.	Brick	2	20	1	1	786	1914	222,425			
400 John H. Clifford	Coggeshall St. and Ashley Blvd.	Brick	2	12	1	1	462	1901	103,600			
401 Phillips Avenue	Phillips Ave. and Ashley Blvd.	Brick	2	8	1	1	282	1897	61,775			
402 Cedar Grove Street	Cedar Grove St. near Acushnet Ave.	Brick	3	15	1	1	591	1883	46,075			
403 Clark Street	Clark and Myrtle Sts.	Brick	3	8	1	1	324	1897	55,450			
404 Merrimac Street	Merrimac and State Sts.	Brick	2	8	1	1	252	1857	22,600			
406 Horatio A. Kempton	Shawmut Ave., near Maitland St.	Brick	2	6	1	1	324	1901	78,850			
407 Cedar Street	Cedar and Maxfield Sts.	Wood	2	6	1	1	252	1855	10,125			
408 Harrington Memorial	Court and Tremont Sts.	Brick	2	8	1	1	381	1889	73,350			
410 Thomas A. Greene	Purchase and Madison Sts.	Brick	2	10	1	1	386	1894	90,075			
411 Acushnet Avenue	Acushnet Ave. near Grinnell St.	Brick	2	8	1	1	381	1878	63,075			
412 Thompson Street	Division St., near Acushnet Ave.	Brick	3	9	1	1	381	1885	57,575			
413 Isaac W. Benjamin	Dartmouth and Hickory Sts.	Brick	3	12	1	1	492	1891	48,575			
414 Dartmouth Street	Dartmouth and Dunbar Sts.	Brick	2	6	1	1	240	1855	21,675			
415 George H. Dunbar	Dartmouth and Dunbar Sts.	Brick	2	8	1	1	324	1897	59,850			
416 Sarah D. Ottiwell	Earle and Diman Sts.	Stucco	1	15	1	1	618	1918	208,300			
417 John Hannigan	Emery St.	Brick	2	16	1	1	633	1921	273,500			
607* Sassaquin	Sassaquin Sanatorium	Brick	1	3	1	1	25	1924	31,500			
608 Sol-E-Mar	Sol-E-Mar Hospital	Wood	1	1	1	1	42	1920	9,500			
Continuation School	Ashley Blvd. and Coggeshall St.	Wood	1	4	1	1	80	1920	9,500			
Continuation School	South and Purchase Sts.	Wood	1	1	1	1	80	1939	74,625			
Storehouse	256 Purker St.	Brick	2	1	1	1	42	1939	74,625			
Totals				555	21	8	20,082		\$7,310,835	5		\$15,064

* Unoccupied

EMPLOYEES IN SERVICE, January 1, 1947

TEACHING CORPS:

Headquarters:	Superintendent	1
	Asst. Supts.	2
	Supervisors	6
	Asst. Supervisors	7
High School:	Principals	1
	Asst. Principals	2
	Teachers	73
Junior High Schools:	Principals	2
	Asst. Principals	2
	Teachers	82
Elementary Schools:	Principals	26
	Grade Teachers	241
	Special Teachers	38
	Kindergartners	17
Continuation Schools:	Principals	2
	Teachers	12
Adult Civic Education:	Director	1
	Teachers	6
Guidance and Placement:	Director	1
	Assistants	2
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CIVIL SERVICE CORPS:

Clerks	19
Physicians	2(1*)
Nurses	9
Attendance Supervisors	4
Building Supervisor	1
Mechanics	8
Engineers and Firemen	5
Senior Building Custodians	11
Junior Building Custodians	32
Junior Building Custodians Unassigned	9
Janitresses	16
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	116(1*)

MISCELLANEOUS EMPLOYEES:

Coaches	2
ROTC Sergeant	1
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TOTAL NUMBER EMPLOYEES: (*) Part-time only 643(1*)

TUITION RATES

Rates of tuition for non-resident pupils for school year, beginning September 3, 1946, payable quarterly in advance are:

High School	\$150.00
Junior High Schools	150.00
Elementary Schools	115.00

PER CAPITA COSTS

The cost of instruction per scholar for Day Schools is based on the average number belonging and the total amount expended for the maintenance of each department, not including expenditures from the Sylvia Ann Howland, Paisler or Bourne Prize Funds.

High School	\$155.82
Junior High Schools	168.93
Elementary Schools	122.48
Day Schools	134.61

The average cost per pupil in the different departments of the schools, for text books and supplies, has been as follows:

High School	\$3.16
Junior High Schools	3.41
Elementary Schools	1.99
Average for Day Schools	2.39

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Money Raised by Taxation

January 1, 1946 — December 31, 1946

SUMMARY

Total Appropriations	\$1,664,466.18*
Total Expenditures	1,650,010.62*
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Balance unexpended	\$14,455.56*

*Not including Pensions or Smith Hughes Funds.

NET EXPENDITURES

Total Expenditures, including Smith-Hughes	
Fund and Pensions	\$1,664,435.81
Turned into Unappropriated Funds	
(See Page 15v)	157,021.10
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Net Cost to City	\$1,507,414.71

EXPENDITURES—MONEY RAISED BY TAXATION

SALARIES AND WAGES:

Auxiliary	\$36,793.52
Administration	47,618.67
Teachers	1,178,892.13
Custodians	164,045.24
Continuation School	41,246.92**
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TOTAL	\$1,468,596.48

REPAIRS:

Building Maintenance	\$9,197.10
Equipment Maintenance	10,401.87
Property Maintenance	1,137.96
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TOTAL	\$20,736.93

**Not including Smith-Hughes Fund.

GENERAL EXPENSES

Books and Tests	\$10,624.85
Classroom Supplies	8,797.75
Science Supplies	502.47
Visual Education	1,121.14
Shop Supplies, Jr. High and Harrington	2,820.39
Workshops	800.14
Custodians' Supplies	5,110.14
Medical and Surgical Supplies	644.87
Continuation School Supplies	4,140.74
Stationery and Office Supplies	208.09
Engine Room Supplies	707.83
Furniture and Furnishings	679.00
Maintenance and Replacement of	
Typewriters	321.40
Business Machines	225.32
Furniture	313.00
Shop Equipment	223.09
Light, Power, Fuel, Water	65,622.29
Motor Maintenance	1,274.21
Postage, Telephone, Express	4,117.55
Printing and Advertising	1,273.86
Travel and Transportation	3,415.00
Middlesex County Tuition	295.63
Miscellaneous	678.27
Total	\$113,917.03

EVENING SCHOOLS:

Salaries	\$7,137.00
General Expenses	300.00

TOTAL	\$7,437.00
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OUTLAY	\$17,314.26
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TOTAL	\$17,314.26
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OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES

Salaries	\$30.00
General Expenses	499.38

TOTAL	\$529.38
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TEACHERS RETIREMENT	\$1,715.81	
TOTAL		\$1,715.81
PENSIONS	\$12,326.87	
TOTAL		\$12,326.87
ADULT CIVIC EDUCATION		
Salaries	\$11,941.93	
General Expenses	249.96	
TOTAL		\$12,191.89
WM. E. SARGENT ATHLETIC FIELD		
Salaries	\$3,408.38	
General Expenses	4,163.46	
TOTAL		\$7,571.84
TOTAL EXPENDITURES*		\$1,662,337.49

*Not including Smith-Hughes Fund

RECEIPTS FROM OTHER SOURCES

PAID TO CITY TREASURER

For Tuition Non-Resident Pupils	\$10,289.16
For Tuition of Boston Wards	740.28
For Tuition State Wards	4,359.16*
For Sales of Books, and Miscellaneous Items	724.48
For Rentals—Auditoriums and Gymnasiums	2,285.00
For Rentals—Sargent Field	2,195.00
Reimbursement from Massachusetts	
Commission for the Blind	1,000.00
Reimbursement for Teachers' Salaries	100,636.30
Reimbursement for Class for the Deaf	2,227.15
Reimbursement for Adult Civic Education	7,219.08
Reimbursement for Continuation Schools	
and General Vocational:	
State	2,005.32*
Smith-Hughes Fund	2,098.32
Sale of Products	184.36
Tuition	253.20
State General Vocational	
Department	20,804.29*
TOTAL	\$157,021.10

*Formal notice of receipt of these amounts has not yet been received by the city from the state.

INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS FOR

JANUARY 1, 1946—DECEMBER 31, 1946

S. A. Howland Educational Fund	\$1,998.53	
Jonathan Bourne Prize Fund	60.00	
C. S. Paisler Fund	458.20	
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		\$2,516.73

SYLVIA ANN HOWLAND EDUCATIONAL FUND

Balance of income on hand, Jan. 1, 1946	\$2,825.25	
Income during year	1,998.53	
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		\$4,823.78
Expenditures for the year		2,452.84
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Balance, December 31, 1946		\$2,370.94

JONATHAN BOURNE PRIZE FUND

Balance of income on hand, January 1, 1946		
Income during year	\$60.00	
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Expenditures for prizes		\$60.00
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C. S. PAISLER FUND

Balance, January 1, 1946	\$1,301.19	
Income during year	458.20	
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		\$1,759.39
Expenditures for the year		112.11
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Balance, December 31, 1946		\$1,647.28

DETAIL OF 1946 EXPENDITURES

SCHOOL	INSTRUCTION			OPERATING EXPENSES				REPAIRS	Transportation, Telephone and Other General Expenses	Bourne Prize Passer and Howland Funds
	Teachers' Salaries	Books	Classroom Supplies	Administration & Custodian Salaries	Custodian & Engine Room Supplies	Fuel Coal, Power and Wood	Light and Water	Building, Equipment and Property Maintenance		
	\$216,410.02	\$3,077.50	\$2,454.36	\$40,883.46	\$1,319.91	\$7,976.59	\$1,126.22	\$1,508.86	\$1,456.51	\$516.25
Junior High	112,179.35	659.92	1,469.20	13,029.10	385.37	2,976.60	1,607.85	787.49	665.18	173.81
Junior High	112,075.78	1,191.65	1,651.79	12,936.17	316.29	4,342.51	1,154.50	2,042.64	482.73	300.03
	22,571.31	217.28	140.52	2,133.48	69.94	1,171.12	219.09	114.79	63.76	4.86
Knowlton	8,560.09	217.84	57.81	2,259.62	67.31	983.50	246.42	816.66	126.32	4.86
A Cook	37,001.88	623.92	1,351.86	3,802.56	170.62	1,306.26	595.90	1,347.62	210.99	4.86
Wood	14,876.56	102.88	24.63	2,194.06	33.32	875.09	108.64	79.51	90.15	2.50
Weymouth	17,875.96	118.18	61.78	2,156.14	84.23	748.83	143.18	1,940.17	74.28	4.87
Weymouth	17,425.33	110.35	91.22	2,171.32	89.58	1,527.16	174.46	85.43	161.01	4.87
A. C. Cushman	17,601.34	200.15	109.17	2,163.74	125.62	1,104.89	309.17	412.06	107.39	4.87
H. Taylor	22,042.45	211.06	137.47	2,173.13	74.43	922.09	224.43	100.79	64.87	4.87
S. Ashby	20,787.03	172.98	290.46	4,211.57	83.70	2,563.74	184.14	139.58	99.25	4.87
R. Bodman	29,647.71	158.43	247.67	2,320.77	100.87	1,480.60	203.23	1,257.66	260.08	4.87
	26,471.47	269.11	223.89	2,167.48	109.29	389.73	189.29	26.95	1,604.55	36.82
Lincoln	26,387.56	405.30	289.71	3,903.78	229.73	2,623.61	423.94	934.19	60.50	4.87
Winslow	30,590.71	461.68	354.11	3,455.12	78.42	1,547.38	505.30	910.17	81.55	4.87
	43,291.31	522.97	499.44	4,215.18	146.63	3,086.61	614.48	215.11	145.78	28.63
Valley	18,244.84	166.39	222.96	3,242.11	182.10	2,099.05	501.64	559.04	64.88	4.87
Valley	9,019.81	29.94	114.52	1,478.09	80.65	97.52	147.32	1,214.66	53.88	4.87
Avenue	15,793.96	247.04	162.15	2,197.87	62.31	742.05	116.95	123.55	88.80	2.50
St.	20,571.92	403.01	270.56	2,133.48	80.08	277.35	239.62	119.99	74.45	2.50
	16,412.87	63.22	204.30	2,214.66	49.58	765.88	138.40	203.33	60.00	2.50
St.	18,617.75	102.33	64.82	2,133.48	60.07	755.18	113.99	847.18	60.00	2.50
A. Kempton	19,836.35	84.33	98.13	2,189.35	79.22	1,034.36	113.00	217.14	60.00	2.50
	15,246.10	119.80	57.67	2,167.85	47.26	1,922.08	85.24	12.26	114.76	2.50
Memorial	22,551.67	102.58	403.15	2,201.48	111.11	992.83	280.56	323.73	85.10	4.87
A. Greene	16,076.21	138.86	100.49	2,154.33	74.67	764.68	382.53	23.91	65.00	2.50
Avenue	17,088.14	135.97	115.40	2,133.48	77.53	1,308.85	211.60	105.21	155.61	2.50
St.	18,026.23	40.72	73.69	2,136.63	80.67	874.83	107.89	9.27	60.00	26.26
Benjamin	21,897.45	57.18	106.96	2,171.32	102.00	1,086.12	154.14	406.48	60.00	4.87
St.	5,455.31	43.34	43.63	2,126.67	57.07	776.39	56.33	385.89	68.13	2.50
Benjamin	10,991.31	39.38	83.41	2,180.28	78.03	496.45	93.75	107.89	60.00	2.50
Orwell	22,358.54	93.78	98.90	2,267.51	71.26	1,586.43	235.85	518.10	60.00	4.87
	22,973.33	169.38	229.16	3,216.51	77.74	1,798.59	216.85	510.39	60.00	4.87
In	1,498.07			1,613.54	5.62	320.27	13.69	44.75		
Mar	3,679.29	9.00	19.16							
For Mentally Retarded	21,833.42	188.09	328.66	2,130.48	30.37	314.80	98.26	169.48	60.00	
Air Classes	4,467.45									
ation of Eyesight Class	4,572.48	113.15	14.58		14.63			43.46		
Classes	5,802.62		6.50							
Classes	2,255.49	9.87	4.38							
Hal Reading Classes	4,055.08	7.32			16.04			43.87	37.50	
op Classes	25,944.58		518.28							
and Placement	7,116.13	100.40	126.91	1,048.04					141.82	
	13,824.89	20.42								314.76
	7,117.09	5.25								
Education	6,492.99	21.94	20.25							
and Hygiene			644.87	22,203.73						
Education										
Schools	6,239.00		80.85	898.00		149.38			1,121.14	
High School	36,739.14	74.16	525.57	6,556.10	98.61	2,121.80	528.85	115.13	676.62	
ation, Supervisors, etc.	3,414.95	17.87	106.95	76,897.30	47.89	249.23	295.19	2,027.67	3,795.87	861.48
Maintenance, Tuition, etc.									1,984.73	257.65
Activities				30.00	21.70	477.68				
ns. Retirement Fund	4,243.51			9,845.63						
									17,314.26	
Education	11,941.93	86.60	43.38						119.98	
ent Field		4.36		3,408.38		168.99	198.81	1,522.21	2,333.45	
Stock		296.48	1,366.74		1,637.40					
TOTALS	\$1,238,105.71	\$11,713.35	\$15,712.06	\$269,179.98	\$6,728.87	\$56,947.10	\$12,260.70	\$22,374.27	\$34,669.64	\$2,624.95

GRAND TOTAL

\$1,670,306.63 (From Taxation: \$1,665,583.36)

(Smith-Hughes Fund 2,098.32)

(Special Funds 2,624.95)

Total \$1,670,306.63

*7th and 8th grade Shop Expenses and Salaries are included.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CONTINUATION SCHOOL AND GENERAL VOCATIONAL
DEPARTMENT JANUARY 1, 1946—DECEMBER 31, 1946

Net Appropriation	\$45,387.66	
Smith-Hughes Fund	2,098.32	
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		\$47,485.98
Total Expenditures		<hr/>
		\$47,485.98

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES

Salaries	\$43,345.24	
Supplies	531.38	
Office Supplies	14.95	
Books	74.16	
Equipment, Replacement and Repair of Equipment	250.07	
Printing, Postage and Freight	27.95	
Fuel	2,121.80	
Light and Water	528.85	
Transportation	211.78	
Telephones	166.06	
Repairs to Building	115.13	
Janitors' Supplies	98.61	
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		\$47,485.98
Reimbursement:		
State	\$2,005.32*	
Smith-Hughes Fund	2,098.32	
Tuition	253.20	
Sale of Products	184.36	
State-General Vocational Department	20,804.29*	
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		\$25,345.49
Net Cost to City		\$22,140.49

*Formal notice of receipt of these amounts has not been received by the city from the state.

TEXT BOOKS, STATIONERY AND CUSTODIANS' SUPPLIES

STATEMENT JAN. 1, 1946—DEC. 31, 1946

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	Purchased in 1946	Stock Jan. 1, 1946	TOTALS	
Books	\$10,624.85	\$827.34	\$11,452.19	
Stationery Supplies	8,797.75	1,434.99	10,232.74	
Custodians' Supplies	5,110.14	790.59	5,900.73	
Totals	\$24,532.74	\$3,052.92	\$27,585.66	

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	Charged to Schools	Stock Jan. 1, 1947	Cash Re- ceipts, 1946	TOTALS
Books	\$11,151.35	\$296.48	\$4.36	\$11,452.19
Stationery Supplies	8,866.00	1,366.74		10,232.74
Custodians' Supplies	4,263.33	1,637.40		5,900.73
Totals	\$24,280.68	\$3,300.62	\$4.36	\$27,585.66

Following are the names of teachers and other employees who have left the service or who have been appointed to the department during the year 1946.

RETIRED

Superintendent— Edward T. N. Sadler

Directors—

Frederic J. W. Hayford
Charles W. Milliken, M. D.

Supervisor—

Florence Ricketson, R. N.

Principals—

Stella L. McCarthy
Frank P. Shea
Leslie H. Sutherland

Civil Service Employees—

Charles Bradley
Alice M. Grant, R. N.
Mary Kennedy
William Mahan
Mary Mitchell

Teachers—

Mary E. Bannon
Bertha S. Brown
Harriet P. Brownell
Amy E. Clark
Emma A. Coombs
Mary H. Grimshaw
Frank F. Hutchings
Alice B. Knight
Mabel E. Macomber
Beatrice I. Nelson
Catherine M. Shea
Alta F. Silsby
Charlotte F. Sturtevant
Isabel L. Swift
Ralph H. Tukey
G. Winston Valentine
Arthur W. Wathen

RESIGNED

Cafeteria Supervisor—

Mildred A. H. Maynard

Civil Service Employees—

John D. Barry
Dora W. Smith

Teachers—

Ilene B. Black
Margaret M. Donlan
Doris F. Duchaine

Abigail G. Finni
Leona Handler
Mary F. Hayden
Dorothy Levow
Lemon Luiz
Amy F. Perry
Pamela H. Pillard
Mayo H. Tripp
Norman H. Tripp
Helen Wroblinski

APPOINTED

Superintendent— W. Kenneth Burke

Directors—

Joseph A. DeSousa
Charles Spiva, M. D.

Supervisor—

Frances J. Whelan, R.N.

Principals—

Cecelia Bettencourt
George F. Cronin
Ruth B. McFadden
Thomas A. O'Donnell
Charles P. Sawyer, Jr.

Assistant Principals—

Delmas E. DesLandes
John F. Gracia

Cafeteria Supervisor—

Adelard Gaudreau

Teachers—

Ernest Bourgeois
M. Elizabeth Connor
Mary A. Ellison
Cecile E. Giguere
Mildred E. Hacking
Leona Handler
Isabel B. Hazner
Charlotte M. Menzer
Norma Reeves
John Riley
Helen T. Ryan

Phyllis B. Schmidt

Eileen M. Sheehan
Mrs. Mary A. Brotherson
Mrs. Mary S. Dalzell
Mrs. Lillian R. Egan
Mrs. Clara L. Foster
Mrs. Hilda B. Harrington
Mrs. Winifred C. Hibbard
Mrs. Katherine I. Howes
Mrs. Alice C. Mackay
Mrs. Emma T. Losert
Mrs. Bessie M. Macomber
Mrs. Katherine E. McCarthy
Mrs. Alice M. McDonnell
Mrs. Alice M. Mooney
Mrs. Doris D. Ryan
Mrs. Mary E. Sanford
Mrs. Mary Silveira
Mrs. Laura A. Sullivan
Mrs. Mary C. Sullivan
Mrs. Ruth S. Vincent
Mrs. Mary C. Winterson
Mrs. Catherine R. Worden

Civil Service Employees — Regular:

Rebecca Bullock, R. N.
Dorothy B. Gibbs
Mary A. Kowalczyk
Arthur McCue
George I. Medeiros

Edith F. Stevens
Gladys Taylor, R. N.
Mavis M. Thomson
Eleanor I. Wood

Civil Service Employees — Temporary:

Shirley Bayreuther
John S. Downey
*Agnes M. Driscoll
Theodore Fredette
Bernice Hardy

*Elizabeth M. Jukes
Loretta B. Lavoie
Catherine M. Lees
*Katherine Stephenson
Grace F. Sylvia

*Released

In Memoriam

JAMES H. TIGHE
Member of School Committee
1946

ARTHUR L. BOUVIER
Teacher
1938 — 1946

CAROLINE J. HUNT
Teacher
1902 — 1946

MARGUERITE WHITNEY
Teacher
1926 — 1946

ESTHER FINE
Clerk
1920 — 1946

Report of Superintendent

Hon. School Committee
New Bedford, Mass.

Gentlemen :

My first report as superintendent of schools in New Bedford and the 86th in the series is herewith submitted.

As my incumbency dates from October 1, 1946 my personal report must of necessity be brief. More detailed information will be found in the reports of the assistant superintendents and the supervisors.

Never in the history of the world has such an appalling responsibility been assigned to the heads of an army as that which faces educators today. The world rests its hope on education.

The schools in the United States are unique in that the enrollment is made up of children of all nationalities. Therefore, the public schools in this country since their beginning have promoted international good will.

The task ahead is challenging, interesting and never ending. It is a task which requires the strongest, most capable and far sighted personnel, for in the outcome lies the world of tomorrow.

At the present time, there is a nationwide upward trend in salaries of teachers. If New Bedford is to retain its excellent teaching staff and attract the better teachers, it is imperative that salary adjustments be given immediate consideration.

In order to assure teachers of adequate salary schedules it is becoming more and more obvious that the state must

assume a major role in school finance. The property tax is overburdened and more use must be made of other forms of taxation.

It is possible to have education financed by the individual state without removing control of teaching and the curriculum from the local communities.

No state can hope to equalize either the tax burden or educational opportunity unless it abandons the concept of placing the entire tax burden upon local communities.

The classroom teacher is a master craftsman and is working with the most precious of all materials; the minds of the youth of America. It is the teacher's responsibility so to shape these minds of today's youth that we may live in a secure and peaceful world tomorrow.

The following statement of the principal functions of the school administrator is taken from an article on "The Nature of Democracy in Administration" by Alonzo W. Grace, State Commissioner of Education in Connecticut.

"The primary functions of administration are (1) to execute as simply and effectively as possible the policy and program of the board of education (2) to eliminate the impediments to effective execution of policy and (3) to secure the maximum co-ordination of human resources to activate policy and program.

"The school organization is a human not a mechanical organization. We are not organized to perpetuate or to develop vested interests or compartments, or to become isolated from our principal mission. The job is to provide the most effective education and educational opportunity possible within the limits of the financial resources, the ingenuity, the vision and realism of the members who comprise the whole. We must operate in the interest of the general welfare."

I wish to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation to the gentlemen of the School Committee and

to my co-workers for their splendid cooperation and for the kind manner in which they have accepted me as superintendent of schools.

Respectfully submitted,

W. KENNETH BURKE

Report of the Assistant Superintendent in Charge of Secondary Schools

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Sir :

My fifth annual report is being written at a time of uncertainty and apprehension as a result of postwar adjustments that are taking place in the economic, political and social activities of the people. Serious disarrangements caused by the recent armed conflict and current efforts to adjust our economy on a basis of peace, security, full employment and prosperity for all have put many serious, thoughtful and worthy citizens in a troubled and bewildered state of mind. Life is changing at a faster pace than at any other time in our history. Complex and far-reaching problems are making more difficult the responsibilities of the schools for the preparation of our young people to cope with the world of tomorrow. This offers a real challenge to teachers who have unparalleled opportunities to exercise creative leadership and to render constructive social service. The people look to education as the chief hope of a better world.

It is interesting to observe that the total membership in our secondary schools for the month of September 1946 as compared with that of the same month the preceding year reveals a continued declination in enrollment especially in the junior high schools.

	1945	1946	Increase	Decrease
High School	1826	1831	5	
Normandin Junior				
High School	839	794		45
Roosevelt Junior				
High School	865	780		85
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	3530	3405	5	130

A comparison of the total membership in the evening high school for the month of October in 1945 and 1946 discloses the same tendency.

	1945	1946	Decrease
Evening High School	436	419	15

On November 29, 1945 the School Committee unanimously adopted a recommendation that the Superintendent of Schools be directed to secure all necessary information to enable the School Committee to proceed with the establishment of courses in industrial and household arts in New Bedford High School. In response to a suggestion by Mr. A. Russell Mack, State Supervisor of Secondary Education, the Principal of the High School and I visited Fitchburg High School and observed the facilities there for instruction in these subjects. On April 4, 1946 I made a written report of our inspection to the Superintendent. At a meeting of the School Committee on October 25, 1946 further action on this matter was deferred until such time as the present Superintendent can look into it himself and make his recommendation.

The large number of veterans of World War II, who were enrolled in colleges throughout the land during the past year, created a serious problem for those boys and girls who were graduated from high school last June with expectations of continuing their education in high institutions of learning. Many learned that their chances of matriculation in a college

of their choice were very limited and were compelled to make application for admission to a number of institutions with the hope that word of acceptance would be received from one of them. This situation aroused interest in the possibility of the addition of grades thirteen and fourteen to accommodate students who were unable to enter major colleges. Under date of August 19, 1946 the Massachusetts Department of Education issued Rules and Regulations Governing the Approval of Courses of School Instruction Beyond the Regular High School Course Under the Provision of Chapter 532 of the Acts of 1946, which provides that such courses shall be the same as those governing the maintenance and operation of private junior colleges (Chapter 549 of the Acts of 1943, Section 31) with necessary adaptations. There is much discussion among educators in regard to the feasibility of this proposition. So far as applications for admission to colleges by our high school graduates last June are concerned practically all entered higher institutions that were greater in number and more widely spread than ever before. For the present at least this obviates the need for serious consideration of the addition of the thirteenth and fourteenth years.

As Local Coordinator for the Massachusetts Department of Education I organized early this year a Regional Veterans' Education Center in this city to serve the needs of veterans of World War II, who reside in New Bedford, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Acushnet, Mattapoisett and Marion. Afternoon classes are held in the High School. Evening classes meet in the same building while night school is in session and in the Clarence A. Cook School during the remainder of the year. Instructors are from the high school teaching staffs of New Bedford, Fairhaven and Dartmouth, and from the faculties of the local junior high schools. Veterans, who are eligible to enter high school, may apply for admission to complete educational requirements for a high school diploma or a State certificate of equivalency, to prepare for college entrance examinations, to obtain advance

collegiate training, or to improve their educational qualifications for specific occupations. The students are earnest young men and women who came in contact with serious aspects of life while in military service and are now intent on achieving definite objectives. For the most part they are too old to enroll in a regular high school or they desire to complete their education in a shorter time than formal high school instruction will permit. The present enrollment is 183. To date thirty-four students have received forty-seven certificates for the satisfactory completion of courses that have an equivalence in high school units. Up to the latter part of September a number of veterans took refresher courses before entering colleges. At the present time such courses are being studied by those who expect to take college entrance examinations in 1947. Excellent work is being done by the instructors, who have the responsibility of seeing to it that each veteran is thoroughly grounded in the fundamentals of each subject, and they are entitled to the highest commendation for their sacrifice of personal interests, untiring efforts and loyal devotion to the interests of the veterans.

During the first week of October 1945 and the first week of April 1946 Metropolitan Achievement Tests, Advanced Battery-Complete; Form B, Revised, were given in the eighth grade of the Clarence A. Cook, Parker Street, Mount Pleasant and Thomas R. Rodman Schools. In both tests the city median was the same as the national norm in reading vocabulary but above the national norm in reading comprehension, arithmetic fundamentals, arithmetic problems, English literature, history and civics, geography and spelling. However, the primary function of the testing program is to give the teacher information which will enable her to promote pupil growth. Perhaps one of its greatest values is that it enables the teacher to discover where the pupil is and approximately how much he can do in order that the teacher may adjust the curriculum to the learning level of the child. Other reading tests, intelligence tests,

and subject matter tests are given in grades seven through twelve by principals and teachers.

On July 26, 1946 the School Committee adopted a new time schedule for grades seven and eight in the grammar schools to put into effect in September adjustments made necessary by the opening of a new room for manual training at the Clarence A. Cook School and facilities for teaching clothing and home nursing at the John H. Clifford School.

During the scholastic year ending last June the social studies committee for secondary schools prepared a unit of work entitled "New Bedford City Government" which was adopted by the School Committee to become effective in September. This course of study is being taught in the eighth grade immediately following the unit entitled "Massachusetts State Government." Current deliberations of this committee are centered on the selection of a satisfactory textbook on which to base a new course in American History for grades seven and eight. The sincere interest and hearty cooperation of the teachers who served on the committee during the past year are appreciated.

The film program for the school year ending last June occupied twenty-three weeks during the first four of which the projector was operated by teachers or alternates. During the remaining nineteen weeks the pictures were exhibited by a projectionist under contract. As in the previous year we leaned heavily on the Department of Teaching Aids of Boston University for many of our films, but there was a generous sprinkling from outside sources. Due to the war there were no reprints of films. The increased demands on the usual sources of films for educational purposes caused an increase in wear and tear which was observed in the scratched condition of the films and the withdrawal of one in May because of poor condition. Generally speaking, favorable comments were received on the selection of films that covered a variety of subjects. The consensus of opinion seemed to be that the program was worth while even though

all the films in a single showing on some occasions did not appeal to both the elementary and the junior high school pupils. When the time arrives to prepare the next film program it is hoped that there will be a projector in each of the secondary schools. This will permit separate bookings of films for the elementary and secondary school levels.

Commendation is due Mr. Charles M. Hagar for radio repairs and Mr. William Hemmings for the elimination of motor troubles during the past year. These men have been responsible for keeping the program in operation on numerous occasions when otherwise breakdowns would have made it necessary to cancel parts of the schedule.

Last spring arrangements were made for the subcommittee on film equipment to observe demonstrations of the latest 16 mm. sound film projectors at the Clarence A. Cook School for the purpose of recommending one to replace the Bell and Howell projector which is practically worn out. The subcommittee recommended the RCA for portable use and the DeVry projector for use in a single building. Sufficient funds have been requested in the 1947 budget to provide for the latest model of the RCA projector, a short lens and a long lens, and two loudspeakers.

It is hoped that during the coming spring there will be opportunities to preview a number of films of enduring value from which selections may be made for the purpose of including one or two in the budget each year to build a library.

On May 10, 1946 nine sound films on educational guidance were previewed at the Roosevelt Junior High School. The evaluation reports of those who viewed these films will be of value in the selection of suitable guidance films for rental or for purchase.

Last spring the subcommittee on film selection prepared lists of filmstrips covering as broadly as possible the various subjects and grade levels. From these lists approximately two hundred dollars worth of filmstrips were purchased last summer for use with the two DeVry projectors owned by

the Department. At the present time one of the projectors is being used by the counselors in the junior high schools to exhibit guidance filmstrips which are very valuable in this important activity. The other projector is being circulated among the schools to give every teacher an opportunity to become familiar with the method of operating this simple machine and with the possibilities of filmstrips as supplements to science, social studies and other subjects where these visual aids can be used effectively to implement courses of study. The ultimate purpose is to equip every school with one projector and a sufficient number of filmstrips and slidefilms to provide an adequate supply of these important visual aids.

At a meeting of the School Committee, February 21, 1946, it was voted that the audio-visual education equipment that had been surveyed as no longer useful and assembled in the basement of the Clarence A. Cook School be sold to the highest bidder. After the Supervisor of Buildings and Custodians, the Supervisor of Industrial Arts for Boys, the Department electrician, a representative of the Science Department of the High School and a representative of the Industrial Arts Department of each junior high school had been given an opportunity to salvage parts of this equipment that could be used to advantage in their respective fields of endeavor bids were requested for the residue. Fifty dollars, the amount received from a single bidder, was turned in to the City Treasury.

As a result of recommendations by the subcommittee on maps, globes and charts, accepted by the School Committee at a meeting on February 21, 1946, new twelve-inch globes in wooden cradles were adopted for use in grades four through nine to replace those originally placed on the approved list, and steel mountings for maps were adopted to replace wooden ones whenever steel is available at no extra cost.

All the members of the audio-visual education committee and those who served on the subcommittees deserve praise

for their conscientious efforts to expand the use of valuable teaching aids on a sound and economical basis.

On March 8, 1946 the School Committee unanimously adopted a recommendation of the Superintendent that I represent the School Department on the New Bedford Price Control Board and use my discretion in the distribution of literature through the schools. Two appropriate films were exhibited to students in the High School. Pamphlets containing a variety of information on rents and prices of goods were distributed to pupils on the secondary school level to be used in the classrooms and then taken home for the information of parents. This activity was discontinued at the close of the term in June.

Last spring and summer a number of prominent business men in New Bedford became interested in a youth organization known as Junior Achievement, Incorporated, which attempts to supplement the training received in school by transferring it into actual practice, developing self-reliance and independence in young people by meeting the problems and duties of managing their own business. As a member of the Central Committee, and Deputy in charge of Membership, I made arrangements for the presentation of the program to the students at the High School on October 4, 1946. As a result fourteen business groups or companies of students fifteen years of age and older were formed to operate their own business affairs, elect their own officers, select a product or service to sell, pay wages, declare dividends, and liquidate after two years of operation. It is hoped that the experiences of the participating students will make them better fitted to take their places in the economic life of the country and justify the expectations of the New Bedford Junior Chamber of Commerce that sponsored the project. The sincere interest and willingness of business and professional men to share their time, money and property in this effort to keep the minds and hands of young people busy on constructive things are heartily appreciated.

The second year of operation of school cafeterias under the Community School Lunch Program came to a close August 31, 1946. During this period new ovens and ranges were purchased from cafeteria funds to replace worn-out equipment in the cafeterias of the junior high schools. The accounts were audited by Mr. Robert B. Selig, Public Accountant, and found to be correct.

NEW BEDFORD SCHOOL DEPARTMENT CAFETERIAS

Condensed Profit and Loss Statement for the Year Ending August 31, 1946

Sales	\$65,435.49
Cost of Sales	41,835.61
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Gross Profit on Sales	\$23,599.88
Operating Expenses	24,504.39
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Net Operating Loss	\$904.51
Other Income	\$223.01
Other Expenses	8.03
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Net Other Income	214.98
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Net Loss	\$ 689.53

Condensed Balance Sheet, August 31, 1946

Assets	
Current	\$16,170.30
Fixed	1,870.93
Deferred	98.85
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Total Assets	\$18,140.08

Liabilities and Net Worth

Current Liabilities	\$64.00
Net Worth	18,076.08
Total Liabilities and net Worth	\$18,140.08

COMMUNITY SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

<i>Type A Without Milk</i>	1944-1945	1945-1946	Increase	Decrease
Number of Schools participating	3	3	None	None
Number of meals served	121,297	142,069	20,772	
Reimbursement from U. S. Dept. of Agriculture	\$8,490.79	\$9,944.83	\$1,454.04	

Type C, Milk Only

Number of schools participating	35	35	None	None
Number of half-pints served in schools:				
With cafeterias	357,153	392,087	34,934	
Without cafeterias	493,374	499,943	6,569	
Totals	850,527	892,030	41,503	

At a meeting of the School Committee on July 25, 1946 Mr. Adelard Gaudreau was elected Supervisor of School Cafeterias to succeed Mrs. Mildred Maynard whose resignation became effective August 21, 1946.

Last spring Captain William S. P. Murphy, with the assistance of Patrolman M. Joseph Harrington, inaugurated a safety program in schools with grades below the fifth and not on the regular film program to reach the children the Police Department feels are in particular need of safety instructions. The timely films that were exhibited and the enthusiastic talks by various people who are interested in safety education were responsible for a successful program, which, it is hoped, will be repeated during the current school year.

At a meeting of the School Committee on September 13, 1946 Mr. W. Kenneth Burke was elected Superintendent of Schools to succeed Mr. Edward T. N. Sadler. On October 11, 1946 the School Committee elected Mr. George F. Cronin to succeed Mr. W. Kenneth Burke as principal of the Roosevelt Junior High School, and Mr. Charles P. Sawyer, Jr. to succeed Mr. Leslie Sutherland as Principal of the Normandin Junior High School. Mr. John F. Gracia was transferred from a position as teacher in the High School to the assistant principalship of the Roosevelt Junior High School, and Mr. Delmas E. DesLandes was transferred from a position as teacher in the Roosevelt Junior High School to that of assistant principal at the Normandin Junior High School.

It has been said that the boys and girls in our schools today will be the business men, the home makers, the voters, the citizens of tomorrow. How well they succeed will depend on the kind of homes, schools and community in which they develop. So far as our schools are concerned, in the words of Mr. Arthur Guiterman,

"No printed work nor spoken plea
Can teach young hearts what men should be:
Not all the books on all the shelves,
But what the teachers are, themselves."

Respectfully submitted

ROBERT H. MURDY

Report of the Assistant Superintendent in Charge of Elementary Grades

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Burke:

In compliance with your request, I submit the annual report of the Assistant Superintendent in charge of elementary education.

The latest report of the enrollment in the public schools of New Bedford, lists 11,045 pupils in the entire system with 7,094 in the elementary schools (excluding grades seven and eight) or approximately 64% of the total school enrollment.

What is meant by the elementary school? A bulletin published by the New York State Department of Education has this to say:

Quote: "The modern elementary school is a school for all the children of all the people and can not be selective in its choice of pupils. It can not set up academic hurdles too difficult for great numbers of its children. In the modern elementary school the program is developed in terms of the total needs of the child. Intellectual development has its place along with careful attention to the physical, social, and emotional needs of the child. The school will evaluate its program in terms of the child's development in good attitudes of work and study, methods of

attacking problems, social adaptability, physical growth and emotional adjustment."

While some elementary school children, due to physical or mental handicap never reach the seventh grade level, for the majority of these elementary school pupils, the aim is to build a foundation which should enable them to continue their education successfully in the secondary school. Education is a continuous process. Each child is a unique individual. We know that children will leave the elementary school at different levels of maturity and with varying degrees of academic accomplishment.

The Kindergarten is the first level and an integral part of the elementary school. The child enters Kindergarten when he is approximately four years and six months old. Here his activity is guided, he learns to work and play and share with boys and girls of his own age, and in this ideal environment successfully makes the transition from home to school.

The parents whose boys and girls are attending Kindergarten in New Bedford are fortunate indeed that these young children, coming to school for the first time, are having their first school experiences with the type of Kindergarten teachers we have in the New Bedford School Department. The training which a child receives for a year in the Kindergarten gives him a readiness for first grade work which the child entering school directly from home does not have. All of the Kindergarten teachers, organized in committees, are preparing to write a new course of study.

Two one-session Kindergartens were opened in October, one at the Thomas R. Rodman School, and one at the William H. Taylor School to relieve crowded conditions at the Harrington Memorial and John Hannigan Schools. The number of children in attendance at the Thomas R. Rodman School would indicate a need for a two-session Kindergarten at that school in September 1947.

As the children leave the Kindergarten and enter grade one, the knowledge of the needs of each child, as revealed by Intelligence and Reading Readiness tests given each September, helps each teacher to provide the experiences which will aid in the child's growth and development. We know a child cannot learn to read before a certain physical and mental maturity is achieved. Some children are ready to learn to read when they enter grade one, others need a short preparatory period, while still others need a longer readiness period. This may mean a child remains in grade one for one or two years, not repeating the work of grade one along traditional lines, but acquiring a background which will enable him to approach the second grade work with confidence and assured of success.

Last year three schools held Open House. This year many teachers and principals availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the first grades at the Clark Street and George H. Dunbar Schools to see the children work. Later members of the Old Colony Superintendents Association of South Eastern Massachusetts found much to interest them in schoolroom procedures in grade one when they visited the schools in New Bedford last June.

During the school year the New Bedford School Department was invited to cooperate in the National Standardization Program of the Metropolitan Achievement Test in order to aid in the establishment of norms on a nation-wide basis. In May the Pintner-Durost Elementary Test Scale 2 Reading Content was given to third grade children and the Pintner-Intermediate Test to fourth and fifth grade children. In October of this year the Metropolitan Elementary Battery was used in fourth and fifth grades. The Metropolitan Intermediate Battery was used in sixth grades. At least forty-four states were represented and more than 450,000 pupils enrolled in this standardization program.

The program involved much detailed work for teachers and principals but workers in the elementary schools of New

Bedford were glad to share in a program conducted throughout the United States. We feel sure that the final report of the results of this comprehensive program will more than repay us for the work involved.

It is hoped that the Cumulative Record prepared by a committee under the guidance of Miss Susan E. Shennan, Director of Guidance and Placement, will be available for use when the Kindergarten pupils enter school in September 1947. By use of this record much valuable information will be accumulated from year to year which will aid teachers and principals in their work with individual pupils as they progress through the elementary school.

Due to a greater understanding of the child and how he develops, new trends in elementary education are constantly causing gradual changes within the elementary school. These changes call for continuous study of the curriculum. In September 1946 a new course in Literature for grades four, five, and six was placed in the hands of the teachers. Fourth, fifth and sixth grade teachers under the guidance of Miss Ruth P. Forbes, Chairman, prepared this excellent course which should help to lead the pupils to a greater knowledge and appreciation of poetry, as well as a preference for better books.

Following a comprehensive and intensive study of the newest arithmetic texts a committee of teachers and principals, under the leadership of Miss Florence E. Moore, Principal of the Thomas R. Rodman School, selected the "Making Sure of Arithmetic" series. These arithmetics were published in 1946. The writers are educators who have found a fundamental understanding of children and the way they learn. The committee is now engaged in writing a course of study for grade three.

Committees are at work studying a type of report card to replace the card now in use. The present report sent to the home was a definite break from the traditional card at the time it was adopted. Change is inevitable and teachers

and principals feel a new report is needed. The committees are endeavoring to write a card which will inform parents of the child's academic progress, give them an understanding of how well the child is accepting his responsibilities as a citizen of the school, and yet simplify the card sufficiently so that it will not be too time consuming for the teacher in making it out.

It is a pleasure to invite busy teachers and principals to work on text book committees, to cooperate in the writing of courses of study, and to meet and discuss classroom problems. They give so willingly of their time and talents and their helpful cooperation results in adding meaning and understanding to the work in the classroom.

In 1947 New Bedford will be one hundred years old. As a recognition of this anniversary plans are underway for some classes to write a history of New Bedford on an elementary school level. The writing of the history has been discussed in the schools, suggestions submitted to this office and Mr. William T. O'Rourke, Librarian of the New Bedford Free Public Library, has offered us the resources of the library as we continue our study. We recognize the task of reading and research which is before us but with whole hearted interest and cooperation we are sure of its accomplishment. We wish our boys and girls to acquire a greater appreciation of the qualities possessed by the men and women who were responsible for making the history of New Bedford. It is only by this knowledge that the future leaders in the community will be inspired and encouraged to continue to make the history of New Bedford one on which coming generations can build with pride and satisfaction.

During American Education Week from November 12—15, 1946, principals report approximately two thousand visitors in grades from Kindergarten through grade six. Visits by interested parents are encouraging to pupils, teachers and principals, and is the best means of building understanding and strengthening the bond between home and

school. We urge that these visits in the future will not be limited to American Education Week but that parents will visit their boys and girls in school throughout the entire school year.

There is one cause for grave concern. As teachers in the elementary school resign or retire it is growing increasingly difficult to fill their places. Until teaching on this level is made more attractive financially, students entering teachers colleges will continue to study for the junior and senior high school positions which will bring them a greater financial reward.

Miss Florence Ricketson, our first school nurse, and for many years supervisor of nurses, retired from active duty in the School Department in May of 1946. She was a pioneer in health education for boys and girls and had a large share in creating and maintaining standards of health among the school children of New Bedford. Miss Stella L. McCarthy, Principal of the Jireh Swift School, retired at the close of school in June. Miss McCarthy was respected and loved by pupils, teachers, and parents of her school and as chairman of the Reading Committee for many years rendered intelligent service to the reading program in the schools. We wish for them many happy years in the future.

This year a Harvard-Boston University Extension Course is being conducted in New Bedford by four outstanding professors, headed by Dr. Donald D. Durrell, Dean of the School of Education of Boston University and Director of Boston University Educational Clinic. Eighty-seven of the personnel of the New Bedford School Department are enrolled in this course, including fourteen elementary school principals. It is heartening to know that although some of these principals already have a Master's degree they are constantly studying new trends in teaching procedures and seeking out the latest educational research. There is hope for the future of our elementary schools under the guidance

of leaders who are forward looking and ever reaching for new knowledge.

I wish to express my appreciation of your interest in the problems of the elementary school since you became superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLEN C. SWEENEY

Report of the High School Principal

Mt. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as principal of the New Bedford High School.

This school year has been one of reconstruction—the changing over from previous war conditions to those of normal school administration. Courses that seemed necessary under war conditions have been dropped or altered to fit current demands, so that at present we are carrying out the two main objectives of the courses that are established in this school; to prepare pupils for college and to train them for business.

The matter of adding additional courses in order to make this a comprehensive high school is now in the hands of the school authorities. This would require a considerable expenditure for building, increased faculty and new equipment. While this change is certainly desirable it is a question whether it can be done at the present time with the city's financial position considered.

With the exception of three men, all the members of the faculty who were in the armed services during the war are back in their teaching positions or have retired from the teaching service. This change in the faculty has been effected without disturbing the balance between faculty and pupils to any noticeable extent.

Three members of the faculty have retired during the past year. Of these Dr. Ralph H. Tukey had served the school for a long period of years as Head of the English and Latin Departments and has left behind him a sense of real loss to the school.

This past year we have sent approximately 120 graduates to schools and colleges for further education. This proportion is fairly large considering the times and compares more than favorably with other schools. Because of the competition for entrance to colleges with the discharged veterans, it has been extremely difficult for any high school graduates who are not veterans to get an entrance acceptance to any college or advanced school. Most of our success in this line has been due to the fine work of the Guidance and Placement Department.

Many high schools are having difficulty in the handling of the problem of mixing the older returned veterans with the teen-age regular high school pupils. This problem has been practically solved with us through the cooperation of the School Committee and the veterans' themselves. The latter have organized the Veterans' Club, with the objects of self-improvement and support of the school and its affairs. A special club room with smoking privileges has been set aside for them. This room has been attractively furnished by them, with the aid of the school and business houses of the city. They are given special privileges not allowed other pupils and they have never abused those privileges. There are about sixty-five members of the club and they are treated as adults. They appear to appreciate this treatment.

The taking over of Sargent Field by the city and the subsequent release of a heavy financial strain on the school athletic association has been a boon to school athletics. This saving of expenses has enabled the school to expand its athletic program and we expect to see practical results in the near future. We can now equip our teams with the

best devices for the safety of the players and the best physical care for all our athletes.

Our enrollment has increased very little over the preceding year—1831 this September as against 1826 in September of 1945. With a continuing large demand for workers in the industries, and with the present high rate of wages, the attendance will probably remain at about this level for some time.

While the urgent need of investment in war saving stamps and bonds is past, there remains the necessity for instilling into the pupils the value of saving. We are maintaining our department of savings stamps and bonds and are attempting to keep the pupils interested in this valuable habit. This department has handled an average of about \$1700 per month this fall.

Our R.O.T.C. is not only a valuable asset to the school curricula but is becoming a more valuable and important part of the national plan for army training. While in the past we have had one commissioned officer and one non-commissioned officer assigned to our unit, we now have one commissioned officer and five non-commissioned officers assigned. The courses of instruction, too, have been changed and are much more complete and aimed at definite military objectives. The unit is no longer merely a marching body of young men, it is a group of young men receiving real instruction in the basic art of national defense. Our new commandant, Col. Quintin S. Lander, comes to us with a fine reputation for dealing with boys of high school age and has already made a splendid impression on the faculty and pupils of the school. We are grateful to the War Department for sending us a man of his caliber.

The Girls' Auxiliary Military Service has been growing in strength and usefulness and this past year has been recognized by the School Committee as a valuable addition to the school curricula. They are now on the same credit standing as the R.O.T.C. This fall they have been able

through the generosity of New Bedford citizens and business houses to purchase a much needed addition to their uniforms. This organization, under the sponsorship of the Social Counselor, Miss Marion, E. Lord, is trained and drilled by the R.O.T.C. commandant and his assistants as a voluntary contribution to the school activities.

We believe our school has made good headway this past year in getting back to "normal" and we shall strive to make it in the year to come a school that will be of even greater service to the citizens—one of which the city may well be proud.

Respectfully submitted,

A. R. DORMAN

Report of the Supervisor of Buildings and Custodians

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

My dear Mr. Burke:

In compliance with your request, I herewith submit my annual report for the year 1946.

Vandalism continues to be one of our major repair problems. Since July 1, 1946 more than 700 windows have been broken in addition to damage done where breaks have occurred in ten of our schools during the year.

CARPENTRY

Our carpenters have been very busy resetting glass, repairing sash, floors, and making general repairs. The acute shortage of lumber and hardware has prevented them from making other necessary repairs.

A great deal of their time was taken up at Sargent Field, repairing the bleachers, fence, and working on the club house.

A new workshop which is a model of its kind was built in the basement of the Cook school.

ELECTRICAL WORK

All our electrical fixtures, such as clocks, time signals, motors, elevators, compressors and stage equipment have been put in good working condition.

The antique lighting fixtures at the Rodman and in three rooms at the Knowlton have been replaced with modern fixtures which have greatly improved the lighting in these buildings.

Our electrician has done a great amount of work at Sargent Field, rewiring the bleachers and club house, installing flood lights on and under the bleachers and doing various other jobs there.

PLUMBING

Our plumber has done a great deal of work at the John H. Clifford and H. M. Knowlton Schools caused by the transfer of the Girls' Continuation, Eyesight, and Deaf classes.

The cost of this transfer was approximately \$2,000.

The plumbing fixtures in all other buildings were checked and repairs made.

HEATING AND VENTILATING

Our steamfitters have checked and repaired heating and ventilating equipment where necessary.

A new heating unit was installed in the R.O.T.C. office at the High School.

BOILERS AND HOT AIR FURNACES

Two new boilers were installed in the J. H. Clifford school which have greatly improved the heating of that building.

A new hot air furnace was installed in the portable of the Rodman school.

All other furnaces and heating pipes were repaired by our plumber.

PAINTING

Exterior painting was completed at the DeValles, Ottiwell, and Jireh Swift Schools.

Interior painting has been done at the Rodman, J. H. Clifford, High and Ashley Schools.

FLAG POLES

Flag Poles have been repaired and painted at the Knowlton, Thomas A. Greene, Allen F. Wood, and Charles S. Ashley Schools.

ROOFING

Repairs were made on the roofs of the DeValles, Normandin, Ottiwell, High and Roosevelt.

POWER DEPARTMENT

A great deal of work was done by the personnel in the Power Department at the High School on engines, pumps and univents.

YARDS

A start was made this year on resurfacing school yards. One was completed at the Cook School. This is expensive work and only a few can be done each year. It will have to be a long-range program.

WELDING

A great deal of welding work has been done this year—the fire escapes and all outside stair railings at the Normandin were repaired.

Considerable welding was done on many of our steam boilers.

PLIBRICO WORK

Plibrico work was completed in 12 steam boilers, replacing broken fire brick. We have found this to be more economical than fire brick.

No. 1 boiler at the Roosevelt and No. 1 boiler at the Ingraham have been retubed.

SARGENT FIELD

Mr. Murray, the caretaker at the field, and his assistant are doing a fine job there, keeping the playing field and grounds in good condition, also making many repairs and improvements.

A 2 inch water main has been installed which gives ample water pressure for all uses.

A new fence was built and painted on the west side of the Field. The old fences have been repaired until we can complete building the other two sides.

All the old condemned wiring has been removed and new wiring has been put in and approved by the Inspector of Wires.

Spot lights have been installed on and under the bleachers, also lights in and outside of the club.

Greater improvement will be made during the coming year, according to the amount of money allotted for the Field.

The old tractor should be replaced with a jeep or small truck to haul the roller and grasscutters. A great deal of trucking is necessary at the Field.

WATERPROOFING AND BRICK WORK

Waterproofing and pointing up work have been done on the Roosevelt Junior High, John Hannigan, Rodman, Clifford, and Ingraham Schools and our storehouse.

While a great deal of repairs have been completed this year much more remain to be done, such as new floors, new plumbing, new window shades, pointing up work, re-surfacing of pupils' desks, inside and outside painting.

PERSONNEL

During the year two of our custodians and one cleaner retired from the Department..

Mr. Mahan of the DeValles School was in the Department 23 years; Mrs. Kennedy of the Winslow 28 years; Mr. Barry was with us only 9 months. He left our employ to enter a different line of work.

These people rendered faithful service to the Department and I was sorry to see them leave.

In conclusion, to the custodians, cleaners and mechanics, I wish to extend my thanks for their splendid cooperation during the year. It has been a pleasure working with them.

To the clerks in our office who have been very helpful to me in expediting letters and orders for hard-to-get materials I am deeply grateful.

At this time, I wish to thank you, Mr. Burke, for the keen interest which you are taking in the Maintenance Division.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN EGAN

Report of the Supervisor of Vocal Music

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Burke:

In accordance with your request I herewith submit my ninth annual report as supervisor of vocal music.

Much of the 1945 report was given over to a statement of the ideas and ideals which have become the guiding principles of this department. These ideas were not entirely new or different from those expressed or implied in the preceding reports but it should be evident that, over a period of five or six years, there has been a gradual but very definite shift of emphasis in our teaching, and a considerable broadening of the goals towards which we are striving.

Restated in terms of general aims, it is our purpose "to make music desirable, usable and a way of growth for every child." These are practical goals and easily acceptable, yet simple as they may seem their implications are far reaching and profound, and they call for much more careful planning, and far more intelligent teaching than the narrow requirements of other days.

First of all, we believe it paramount that we constantly and consistently stress the inspirational values of music, never failing to highlight its appeal and charm. On the other hand, it is equally necessary that we make adequate provisions for effective musical learning, for it is an accepted and undeniable fact that enjoyment and appreciation feed upon understanding, and that real musical development is

impossible unless it is accompanied by increasing technical mastery. Second, our program requires that music shall be made acceptable to children as a natural, indispensable part of daily living, both in school and out. We are moving toward this goal when we teach songs which boys and girls enjoy singing at home as well as in the classroom; when they discover the thrill of group singing in their assemblies; when they participate in glee clubs or orchestras; when music helps them toward a better understanding of other peoples or other times; when they plan and execute a musical program for the pleasure of other groups; — in short, when music drops its academic dullness and becomes something alive, usable, and vitally interesting. Third, and last, the goal from which all other goals derive their meaning and purpose, — namely, that music shall serve as a way of growth for all children, a means towards happier lives, better personal integration and greater self realization.

These are the aims and hopes of this department and although an honest appraisal of achievement finds us far from full attainment, yet we are on our way, and there is every reason to believe that we shall step forward with each succeeding year. At present, we can count our greatest gains in the primary grades, where the work has been lately enriched and invigorated with new courses of study and new text books.

It has taken five years of study, discussion and experimentation to build the primary syllabus but together, the three courses present a clear cut philosophy and a carefully tested procedure which, now that they are in use, seem well worth the time and effort expended.

Our next task, and a pressing one, is to provide similar help and stimulation for the intermediate grades. This fall, under the advice of the course of study committee, temporary courses have been written for the fourth and fifth grades, and more complete outlines will follow.

The selection of music texts is one of the most important tasks performed by the teacher committees. It is good

to report that the text "We Sing," adopted this year for the fourth grade has been enthusiastically received by pupils and teachers alike. We have long sought materials which would call forth a spontaneous interest, and an eager "will to learn." We feel that these new books truly achieve this goal. Before the school year ends the committee will be asked to consider a supplementary book for the fourth grade and to choose the basic text for the fifth.

Music in the high school continues to thrive. There are five classes meeting twice weekly, — two of general music, two of chorus, and a prepared class in music appreciation. The latter, newly introduced this year, has proved highly successful and will doubtless be offered again next year.

Once more I feel bound to express the hope that a room will soon be made available for these classes. The difficulties and disadvantages of teaching in the auditorium are obvious, and while Miss Ratcliffe and the boys and girls have accepted the situation cheerfully and without complaint, they are, nevertheless, working under a serious handicap.

The total enrollment for the five classes is slightly larger than last year, but it is unlikely to show any appreciable increase unless a different program scheme can be set up for the school. As it is, the student may elect a given course only if it so happens that he has a free period at the time the class is offered. This definitely limits the number who can choose to join any one class, and for some it shuts out music entirely.

The girls' choir and boys' chorus seem well established as extra-curricular activities and both show an increased membership this fall. A small group chosen from the girls' choir gives an additional hour to rehearsal each week. All three organizations have shared their music generously, with a goodly number of successful concerts to their combined credit.

There have been several other musical events of interest during the year. The Parker Street Glee Club, capably di-

rected by Miss Frances V. Maher, offered a delightful "Spring Musicale," and in December presented, for the fourth consecutive season, the ever lovely "Christmas Story in Carol, Scripture, and Tableau." Three broadcasts gave our children experience "on the air." A reverently beautiful Easter program was offered by the Thomas R. Rodman School Glee Club under the direction of Miss Dorothy B. DeLoid, Miss Maher's group sang "The Christmas Story," and a recording of carols was made in the high school as a part of a State Department program called "The Voice of the United States," to be short-waved abroad on Christmas Eve.

Miss Adah E. Halstead, assistant supervisor in this department for somewhat more than thirty years will retire from service in January of the coming year. She is a teacher of unusual ability, a highly talented musician and a keenly intelligent personality. Miss Halstead and I have worked side by side through most of our teaching years. I shall miss her, — and it will be hard indeed to fill her place. I know pupils and teachers all over the city will join me in wishing her many years of health and happiness.

Each year I realize anew my indebtedness to the teachers and principals whose earnest work and friendly co-operation make possible whatever of success this department may achieve. I am glad to express my especial gratitude to the several teachers who have given so generously and valuably of their time and experience to help build our courses of study, and to thank again the glee club leaders and accompanists who continue faithfully to give of their talents and enthusiasm.

It is my pleasure to wish you every success and happiness in your new work.

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED L. BAILEY

Report of the Supervisor of Instrumental Music

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

In compliance with your request I submit the annual report of the Instrumental Music Department.

The past year has been a successful one. The increased interest in instrumental music in the elementary and junior high schools is evidenced by the increased size of the orchestras in those schools.

The New Bedford High School Band made more than a creditable showing at both the State and the New England Music Festivals this past year, receiving a superior rating (93 out of a possible 100) at the State Festival and winning second place at the All-New England Festival.

The Band played for all football games, accompanied the Basketball Team on three trips to the New England Tech Tournament, and participated in numerous civic events. We paraded on Memorial Day, took an active part in the Welcome Home Party for Veterans, gave concerts at Buttonwood Park, and participated in the Navy Day and Armistice Day exercises.

The New Bedford High School Orchestra plays for all High School Assemblies. This past year we contributed the musical program for The Barrets of Wimpole Street, in conjunction with the Standard-Times Neediest Families Fund Appeal, and we furnished Christmas music for the children of St. Mary's Home and St. John's Academy.

The Department of Instrumental Music has become a necessary civic asset to the community.

Our successful year is due in no small measure to the whole-hearted cooperation of Mr. Kenneth Park, the Assistant Director, who has now taken over the supervision of instrumental music in the elementary grades, thus allowing the Director more time to devote to the growing demands of the more adult high school groups. This arrangement is achieving very satisfactory results.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE W. AREY

Report of the Supervisor of Practical Arts

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Sir :

In compliance with your request, I herewith submit the Annual Report of the Art Department for the year 1946.

"To teach art as historical information is to reveal the evolution and occasionally the degeneration or regression of the human race. When all else has vanished away we still have left for study the art which each country produced. This is significant."

Art education endeavors to give experiences that will enable the child to grow in his awareness of art in his every day living. That he may become skilled in his ability to use certain principles and gain such knowledge so that he may develop into a well rounded and happy individual in and out of the classroom and finally be able to take his place in society.

The classroom teacher is doing a fine art training job with the youngsters. It is encouraging and inspirational to see them as well as their pupils grow as they strive for higher standards. The teachers show skill and enthusiasm in applying the numerous art principles learned to the various school activities, such as, the attractive classrooms, display boards and beautiful assemblies. These are all a part of the child's everyday school life and demonstrate the courage and confidence gained by pupils and teachers alike in attempting new things with enthusiasm and daring.

PERSONNEL — The scarcity of quality special teachers today was experienced by this department during the summer in trying to fill an art vacancy in one of our Junior High Schools. For the first time in my experience as head of this department the school year began with a vacancy which was not filled until October.

The vacancy was created when Miss Helen Wroblinski, an art teacher at the Normandin Junior High School, resigned her position in January to be married. A substitute, Mrs. Lillian Modesto, was hired to finish the remainder of the school year.

Miss Norma Reeves, a graduate of the Rhode Island School of Design, was engaged to fill the above vacancy in October.

We welcome back a returned veteran teacher, Mr. G. Philippe DeRosier, instructor of Mechanical Drawing and Crafts, who returned to his teaching position at the High School in May. He had served as a member of the armed forces since his induction in November 1942. Miss Patricia Leary, a local graduate of Cornell School of Architecture, was filling the position at the time until his return. She had been preceded by Mrs. Arville D. Dodge who resigned at the close of the school year in June 1945.

HIGH SCHOOL — The Mechanical Drawing Class at the High School with its meager equipment was moved to Room 316. This was the first step in alleviating a crowded and very unsatisfactory situation where two teachers shared the same room for a number of years because of the lack of room at the High School. The past year has demonstrated the need for such a change which was long overdue. This department appreciates Mr. Dorman's cooperation in making the room available. Again I repeat what I have stated in previous reports that "Looking ahead, certainly any student enrolled in a scientific course should have mechanical drawing as a required subject and it should take

its rightful place in the school curricula of our High School." Plans are now being drawn for a new drawing board rack and supply cabinet by one of the advanced students under Mr. DeRosier's guidance. The room has been newly painted. Adequate and appropriate lighting for this type of work is also being considered. These are all a part of a program which should lead towards a well equipped room, one that should be a credit to our High School for there is need for such a department in the training of boys in a highly mechanized world.

SCHOLARSHIP — The Art Department was instrumental in making arrangements for a one man art show for one of our High School graduates who was an outstanding art student in school. Robert Brooks, a returned veteran of World War II won first prize in an open competition while a student at the New Bedford High School and with it a year's scholarship at the Vesper George School of Art in Boston. While in the service he served as staff artist on four Army newspapers. He brought back a number of fine colorful watercolors of places he visited in New Caledonia, Luzon, and Japan. Through the cooperation of Mr. William T. O'Rourke, The Librarian, the exhibit was held on the top floor of the Free Public Library for one week. The show was a gratifying success financially as well as otherwise. It gave the public an opportunity to see the work of a local boy, a very talented and sincere young artist with a promising future.

Carlos Freitas, a pupil in one of our Junior High School art classes, brought credit and honor to his school and city by winning second national honors in a national safety poster contest sponsored by a local branch of a national organization.

LUMBARD—RED CROSS — Visitors, parents, nurses, doctors, and young patients have enjoyed the monthly decorative units made for Lumbard Ward, the children's ward at St. Luke's Hospital. It is an inspiration to see how

happily and eagerly the youngsters in the classroom give up their work that others less fortunate than themselves may enjoy these creations. Their generosity and enthusiasm is a beautiful act of charity to behold. This program was first started in September 1944.

The school children of New Bedford have again responded to the appeal of the New Bedford Chapter of the Red Cross this year as they have in the past, for Christmas cards, menu and tray covers for the wounded veterans in the military hospitals of this area.

MATERIAL SURVEY — Several years ago your supervisor made a general survey of art department equipment and supplies in the schools. As a result we were very fortunate in having enough material of fairly good quality on hand during the time when the cost of much of this same material would have been higher and in some instances not available. This was particularly true of watercolor boxes, waterpans made of tin and various drawing and construction papers. Teachers were thus able to carry on their work in a more satisfactory manner. It enabled them to fulfill numerous demands of a community nature during the war years and finally saved the city some money. During the past year, however, the inferior quality of materials recently bought was very noticeable. Such purchases were held down to a minimum.

CLOSING — As the new superintendent of our local Public Schools, Mr. Burke, you may be assured of my personal cooperation and that of the art department whenever we can be of service. I wish to thank you for your kind consideration since assuming your new office and to again express my sincere appreciation to the principals, teachers and others for their willing cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL P. VANCINI

Report of the Supervisor of Industrial Arts

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke

Superintendent of Schools

New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Mr. Burke:

At your request I am submitting to you the annual report of the Department of Industrial Arts for the year ending December 31, 1946.

During the year many changes and adjustments were made. With the return of Mayo Tripp from military service it left us with two unassigned shop teachers Mr. Tripp and Mr. Janiak. Mr. Tripp was temporarily placed at the Donaghy Workshop to assist Mr. Rex. Mr. Janiak was assigned to various shops in the Junior High schools to help out where needed and do the substitute work in the shops. Mr. Rex was elected to take charge of the new shop at the Cook School. Mr. Rex and Mr. Tripp were assigned there in June to get the new shop ready for the opening of school in September. Mr. Janiak was assigned to take charge of the Donaghy School Workshop and Mr. Tripp resigned at the end of the school year in June to return to school for further study.

Tools and equipment for the Cook school shop were advertised for in May and the contract was given to DeWolf and Vincent. At the end of the school year in June we had received nothing due to the shortage of such equipment. We had all the benches made by the department. The bench tops were made under the direction of Mr. Coonan at the Roosevelt School. Bases and assembling were done by Mr.

Rose at the South Continuation School. Patterns for the vises were made by Mr. Rex.

Due to the untiring efforts of Ward DeWolf of the firm of DeWolf and Vincent we received a small amount of the tools and equipment to make a start—Mr. DeWolf spent much time and effort trying to get us the needed tools. He is still trying to complete our order. I appreciate and thank Mr. DeWolf for his efforts in this matter. Also at this time I wish to thank John Egan, Supervisor of Buildings, and his assistants for painting and for the lighting system which they installed in this shop.

All of the eighth grade boys from the following schools, Cook, Parker Street, Mt. Pleasant and Rodman were assigned to attend the new shop at the Cook School. This new program gives these boys one half day of shop instruction each week. The seventh grade boys from the above schools, including the Winslow, go to the Harrington School for their shopwork. These seventh grade boys do not do quite as much shopwork as the eighth grade boys as there are twelve classes of seventh grades and the program has to be staggered.

Another change that took place was the moving of the Clifford School Workshop to the Knowlton School to make place for the Continuation School girls. The Clifford School Workshop boys moved all their own equipment under the direction of George W. King just before school closed in June. They also painted and whitewashed their new room at the Knowlton School. In October, Mr. King was transferred to the Continuation School and Mr. John Riley was elected to take his place at the Knowlton School Workshop.

The print shops in both Junior High Schools under the direction of Messrs. Purrington and Gulbranson have made a very fine record this year. The commercial value of the products which their shops have turned over to the depart-

ment is approximately \$1,800. Careful check is kept of the educational and instructional value of the work done in these shops also.

Mr. G. Winston Valentine who has been instructor of machine shop practice at the Roosevelt Junior High School since the school opened in 1927 retired at the end of the school year in June. Mr. Benjamin Wilson, instructor at the South Continuation school, was transferred to the Roosevelt to take Mr. Valentine's place in the machine shop.

We are very much in need of tool replacement in the wood working shops, especially in the workshops. No replacements have been made during the war years. The present shortage of all kinds of equipment in the market does not offer much hope of our getting the necessary replacements. I hope that during the coming year we shall be able to replace some of the already worn out equipment in these workshops which would increase the efficiency of this department.

In spite of these deficiencies all of the shops have done creditable work throughout the year. At this time I wish to thank all the shop instructors who cooperated and made this program a success.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. KILPATRICK

Report of the Supervisor of Special Classes

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Mr. Burke:

In compliance with your request, I am submitting the annual report of the supervisor of special classes.

Our conception of education is a preparation for life so that changes in one affect the other. In our complex modern era there is always the challenge that there shall not be a social lag, but that education in itself be dynamic, setting goals and ideals for the future.

We hear much in these days about the unadjusted child. This term may refer to maladjustment or failure of a pupil to reach his fullest potentialities of educational, social, or physical growth. Our treatment of today's maladjusted child should help us to be increasingly successful in handling the maladjusted child of tomorrow. Instead of passively waiting for problems to become apparent, or to correct serious difficulties after they arise, our school department is endeavoring by means of careful study of all pupils entering first grade early to discover the child in need of help.

This fall after the Detroit Intelligence Tests had been given to all first grade children, Miss Ellen C. Sweeney, assistant superintendent in charge of elementary schools, prepared a list of those pupils whose tests showed they had not attained a mental age of five years. Each child so listed was given an individual Binet examination. The results of these showed what children were going to need more time to complete the work of Grade One. In very few cases is

it necessary to delay a child's entrance indefinitely, and this is usually not done until the child has been further studied by a competent psychiatrist. Unfortunately, there are too many children in Massachusetts whose names have long been on waiting lists for admission to state schools. It is hoped that with the opening of a new school on the former site of Camp Standish, many of those children will be adequately cared for.

A similar study was made after the results of the Pintner-Durest tests, given in the elementary grades last May, were tabulated. While failure on the group test in some cases was due to reading difficulties or skills not mastered due to many reasons such as continued absences, moving from school to school or city to city, yet, in several instances, the study indicates what children were in need of special education either in special or workshop classes. When a slow learning child is exposed to competition with average or rapid learning children, he does not accomplish as much as he might otherwise if allowed to proceed at his own slower rate of learning. The special program in the above mentioned classes consists of individualized instruction of academic work commensurate with a pupil's needs and abilities.

When visiting homes to interpret to parents the meaning and value of special class or workshop placement which will affect the development and happiness of their children, we too often discover that there is a serious misconception in the minds of some parents as to the difference between slow learners and children who are mentally ill. We have no place in the public school system for a child whose mind is deranged. Fortunately, such children are very rare and are adequately taken care of in mental hospitals.

Corrective help is often needed for types of maladjustment other than educational. As we have no psycho-educational clinics in the school department, we are glad to avail ourselves of the helpful study and recommendations made by Dr. Olga Steinecke and her staff at the Child Guid-

ance Clinic. During the past year, Dr. Steinecke has rendered invaluable service to the New Bedford School Department.

Not all cases of pupil adjustment, however, are settled at the Child Guidance Clinic. I am indeed grateful for the pleasant relations and excellent spirit of cooperation which exists among the social agencies, officials of the court, and the many physicians whose help when needed has been so freely given this past year. And here it is but fitting to express my appreciation to those members of the School Board whose understanding and assistance have been so necessary in helping to solve some of the many problems which have come to this department during 1946.

It is to be regretted that the school department was unable to open this year a workshop class in a center school. Many overage pupils are in need of the specialized training such a class would offer.

We have no special classes at the junior high school level. The fourteen to sixteen year old normal boy and girl are in junior or senior high school with their own age group. The retarded pupil of this age, after an equally long period of attendance and effort, is often detained with young children in an elementary school. This is detrimental to a pupil's morale. It is, therefore, recommended that, whenever possible, there be established at the junior high school level, at least one special class to be taught by trained special class teachers who are capable of adapting the curriculum to the needs of such pupils.

As this department's very name implies many problems arise, the solution of which would be impossible without the cooperation of you, Miss Sweeney, the attendance department, and the many principals and teachers with whom I have worked during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE M. IRWIN

Report of the Grade Supervisor of Physical Education

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Sir :

At your request I herewith submit the report of the Grade Supervisor of Physical Education for the year 1946.

After the completion of the revised Course of Study for the Elementary Grades, Mr. Murdy called a meeting of the women teachers of Physical Education in the Junior and Senior High Schools for the purpose of developing a co-ordinated course through the secondary schools. It was my privilege to serve as chairman of this group..

Our first consideration was what our objectives should be. Then came the selection of the activities which would best develop these objectives. Consideration was then given to the advisability and possibility of carrying out certain activities.

The following outline briefly sets forth the objectives and means of development.

Objectives

Means

I Physical

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| 1. Promote health and increase organic vigor to insure normal growth. | Correctives and relaxation. |
| 2. Develop strength and motor control. | Apparatus and athletics. |

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| 3. Improve coordination to promote quickness & skill. | Dance rhythms & stunts. |
| 4. Develop endurance. | Vigorous and comprehensive program. |

II Educational

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| 1. Alert and attentive behavior. | Tactics. |
| 2. Quick perception and prompt action. | Games |
| 3. Self control. | Games |
| 4. Habits of obedience to authority. | Games |
| 5. Fair play and good fellowship. | Games |
| 6. Loyalty to leaders, team and school | Games |
| 7. Develop initiative and leadership. | Pupil leaders whenever possible. |

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| III Worthy use of Leisure Time. | Skills for recreation. Interest in sports and hobbies. Participation in games and sports which may be carried beyond school life. |
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To make this a Course of Study rather than an outline, the material has been arranged in a lesson to lesson progression covering the four years required beyond the sixth grade. Gradual progression, we felt, was especially important on all apparatus work in order to avoid any possibility of strain or accident due to lack of fundamental skills.

For the past few years we have been working on a program for the seventh and eighth grades in the center schools. Conditions in these schools are so varied it has been difficult to arrange a course which would be applicable to all groups. The course has now been completed. This is the

final unit of a coordinated course of study from elementary through secondary schools.

Last spring, for the first time, tennis was offered to the girls of the eighth grades in the center schools. Due to a delay in opening of the courts and persistent inclement weather on the days the courts were reserved for us, we did not have as many lessons as planned. However, the girls did receive instruction in fundamental strokes and method of scoring. Since tennis is an activity which can be carried on many years beyond school life, I feel that this activity should be given more stress in any Physical Education program for secondary schools.

The action of the School Board to develop a real athletic program for the boys of the seventh and eighth grades in the center schools will fill a long felt need. The boy who has had a real interest in sport has usually found some group to affiliate with. However, a program carried out under the supervision of the department will, I hope, give every boy his chance.

The "game room" is growing in popularity. Teachers feel that this informal period is not only valuable for the games learned but also for improving social relations. It is a pleasure to see the older boys and girls sitting with the younger ones teaching them their games. These pupil teachers do a good piece of work and contribute much to the success of the program. One school has a room available for use before school on cold or stormy days.

This fall fourteen schools are having regular Posture Classes. In other schools where a teacher is not available I meet as often as possible with children who need correction. They are given exercises to practice at home. This method is not as satisfactory as when taken in regular Posture Classes but seems the only way for them to receive help at the present time.

Respectfully submitted,

ELVA M. PARKER

Report of the Director of the Department of Health and Hygiene

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Burke:

In compliance with your request, I herewith submit the annual report of the Director of Health and Hygiene for the year 1946.

This has been a year of many changes in the Department of Health and Hygiene.

On May 31st Dr. Charles W. Milliken, the former director of this department, retired climaxing more than a score of years of faithful service to the children and the New Bedford School Department.

It is appropriate at this time that I pay tribute to so loyal and self-sacrificing a colleague. The health and welfare of the child in school was ever foremost in the period of administration during which Dr. Milliken officiated. The community at large will miss his friendly and genial personality.

Shortly after Dr. Milliken's retirement this department lost another loyal and self-effacing administrator in the person of Miss Florence Ricketson, R. N., the pioneer school nurse of New Bedford. At her retirement she had completed thirty-five and one half years of service as a most capable and efficient Supervisor of Nurses.

To Miss Ricketson is due untold gratitude for her patience and understanding during the early years of this department's growth.

The department at present is indebted to Miss Ricketson for her excellent character and the professional esteem in which she was revered by all whose privilege it was to have worked with her. We recognize and appreciate her untiring efforts to educate the public and school children in matters pertaining to health when health was something considered as a "gift."

For both Dr. Milliken and Miss Ricketson we at this time wish a long and happy life knowing that they have served their fellow-men diligently and faithfully.

At this time I wish to state that I deem it a privilege to succeed Dr. Milliken as the Director of the Department of Health and Hygiene and I will endeavor to cooperate with the administration of the New Bedford School Department so as to maintain and preserve the health of our future citizens, the school children.

With the cooperation of Miss Ricketson's successor, Miss Frances J. Whelan, R. N. the present Supervisor of Nurses, and her staff of School Nurses I am confident that this can be accomplished.

At the beginning of the school year the nursing staff lost another faithful servant. Mrs. Alice G. Grant, R. N., retired from active service as a school nurse on September 1, 1946. Mrs. Grant fulfilled a lifetime of untiring effort in preserving the health of the school child.

To know her was to admire her whose profession concerned those whom she could help.

Generally speaking the Department of Health and Hygiene will proceed basically and fundamentally as it has in the past. We have been most fortunate, thanks to the prompt and efficient action of the members of the School Committee, to have added two nurses to the Staff. Miss Rebecca Bullock, R. N., and Miss Gladys M. Taylor, R. N., both come to us with excellent recommendations. We trust that they will enjoy their new positions as much as we enjoy having them with us.

I cannot emphasize too strongly the immediate necessity for either a teacher or a nurse to be maintained by this department to do the Audiometer Testing and teach the Lip Reading Classes. It has now been three years since we have had any method of determining a loss of hearing in our school children which consequently results in a major handicap and will have a tendency to bring about an over-flow enrollment in the Class for the Deaf.

A teacher who has had specialized instruction in teaching lip-reading and in the use of the Audiometer, is far preferable but a nurse or a teacher could be instructed to do the Audiometer Tests which are of major importance to fulfill the requirements of the Massachusetts State Department of Education..

Again may I stress the necessity of an additional staff nurse to act as a substitute nurse throughout the department and to assist the supervisor in the many responsibilities demanded of her, and permit her to be of more assistance to the director and benefit to the department as a whole.

It is my understanding that the classes now known as Fresh Air Classes, which have been maintained for those children who have been contacts of suspicious cases or of arrested cases of tuberculosis, will eventually be discontinued due to new control methods of tuberculosis, and I suggest that these classes be continued as general "Health Classes" for children whose health is below that of the normal healthy child.

As regards tuberculosis, since a new X-Ray unit is at the disposal of the community at large at no financial loss to the individual, I suggest that each teacher present evidence of a negative chest X-Ray when first appointed to a teaching position and each year thereafter until she is on tenure, and every three years following as long as she maintains her position in the New Bedford School Department.

The survival of the nation depends upon the health, both mental and physical, of the individual child.

Education, it will be agreed, is the major factor in effecting harmonious group integration in the world of today. What the schools have provided along the lines of health education in the past has been adequate up to a certain point, but in view of the fact that conditions in the home, the community, and the State and the Nation have been altered drastically in the course of events, it follows that the school health program must be adjusted to meet the needs of the future citizens of tomorrow.

One of the most essential and, in my opinion, the underlying factor which must be considered, is that of an efficient, well-trained, highly specialized personnel which can operate within the department successfully.

To attract professional members to make application for such positions it would, of course, be necessary to raise salary and educational levels as is the general contention throughout the country to-day.

All in all, school health service has been brought closer to the objective for which it was established—the health of the school child.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES SPIVA, M.D.

Report of the Supervisor of Adult Civic Education

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Sir:

In compliance with your request, I herewith present the annual report of the Director of Adult Civic Education for the year ending December 31, 1946.

During this year the department has accomplished the following objectives:

- (1) Organized classes in English and Citizenship to enable Aliens to qualify for the federal examination.
- (2) Encouraged newly made citizens to return to school to improve their English and to take a more active part in our government.
- (3) Provided a full time eighth grade equivalency program for returning veterans.
- (4) Offered courses for recently arrived war brides.
- (5) Met the needs of clubs and institutions for advanced classes.
- (6) Assisted local residents with citizenship problems.

The following statistical report will indicate the number of classes at each center and the number of adults enrolled.

Evening Schools

School	Classes	Enrollment
John B. DeValles	6	110
Hosea M. Knowlton	3	59
Abraham Lincoln	5	95
Allen F. Wood	4	63
		<hr/> Total 327

Day Classes

John H. Clifford	3	45
John B. DeValles	3	56
Robert C. Ingraham	1	11
Sarah D. Ottiwell	4	59
Phillips Avenue	1	12
Allen F. Wood	2	23
		<hr/> Total 206

Other Centers

Bay Village Library	2	21
Pulaski Club	1	9
Green Front Band Club	1	13
Sassaquin Sanatorium	2	23
Y. W. C. A. (War Brides)	1	9
Synagogue	1	8
		<hr/> Total 83

By request, classes, one for men and the other for women in advanced English, mathematics and government are held twice each week at the Sassaquin Sanatorium. These classes are invaluable in keeping the minds of the patients active, thus preparing them to take their place in the community when their health has recovered.

Through the cooperation of the local Y. W. C. A., a course in Citizenship and American Culture is offered to war brides each Tuesday afternoon at that institution. This course has been most helpful in aiding them to make adjustments to their new environments.

VETERANS EDUCATION

On September 19, 1945, a class for veterans below the High School level was established at the John B. DeValles School. When enrollment increased, the time was extended by vote of the school committee to a full time teaching program to enable the veterans to secure the subsistence allotments granted them only if they attended school a minimum of twenty-five hours weekly.

During the year, forty-three veterans have been enrolled in this course at various times. About half have come for short term courses of one to three months to meet specific objectives, particularly for intensive refresher courses in preparation for civil service examinations. A program is tailored to meet the individual needs of the veteran, taking into consideration his scholastic background and the objective toward which he is pointing. No two programs have ever been alike—they are as varied as the ex G.I's. themselves.

As of December 1, 1946 there were thirteen students in the class, half of whom were disabled veterans. These men are earnest, serious students who avail themselves of every bit of subject matter offered. They know their weaknesses and correct them rapidly.

Reports on each veteran are made weekly to the School Department and monthly to the Veterans Administration. To date there have been no failures but a steady progress upward by each individual.

NATURALIZATION AID

During 1946 assistance was given to over three hundred residents with citizenship problems. These people for the most part needed help in filling out applications for first and second papers.

Students who became citizens while classes were in session were given information as to how, where and when to register for voting.

More home visits in connection with naturalization aid have been necessary this year due to the number of physically handicapped people who wish to become citizens.

CONCLUSION

The School Committee, the Superintendent and especially the former director of this department by their interest, support and advice have helped immeasurably to make the types of education referred to in this report, grow and succeed. In the final analysis, however, upon the evening school principals and the teachers in all the classes rested the responsibility for improving standards and maintaining interest and attendance and to them is due special commendation for the achievements of this department.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH A. DE SOUSA

Report of the Director of Occupational Guidance and Placement

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Burke:

Guidance and Placement has been in operation in New Bedford for eighteen months. Within three months, Mr. Egan and his staff of skilful workers produced a physical set-up that will be adequate for guidance purposes for years to come. Mr. Egan's sympathetic and intelligent understanding of the need for private conference rooms and his craftsmen's precise following of specifications deserve commendation.

Within ten months the nucleus of a library of books and pamphlets on educational and vocational matters was developed. A foundation is being laid for what can be expanded into as fine a specialized library as can be found in Southeastern Massachusetts. The clerk who joined the staff in February, Miss Mavis M. Thompson, has assumed charge of the maintenance and ready accessibility of this material, and with the efficient and generous advice of Miss Margery L. Stocker and Miss Jane E. Thuman of the school library staff, she has worked out a simple and easily managed distributory system so that young people and teachers may have easy access to the files.

From the actual opening of the office in August 1945, young veterans have been reporting daily as educational problems are uncovered by the Veterans' organizations and

referred to this center. Former students of the High School make this one of their first calls. If the veteran comes only once, an advisor feels an added sense of responsibility, for so much depends on sensing the exact need in that first interview. It is a satisfaction when a young person returns, as some new phase of his problem is revealed and needs clarification. This daily work with young people returning from service has been time consuming and has subtracted from the conference time available for undergraduates, but it has seemed wise in these first post-war months to make this distribution of time.

A grave problem has been presented by the curtailment of educational openings for current graduates. This year the acceptance of a Senior by a first-class college amounted to a major triumph. The competition of from seven to ten candidates for one freshman opening has been keenly felt even by High Schools which, like the local one, have previously had no trouble getting good candidates accepted. The school has had to maintain a judicious balance between pressure on college admissions committees this year and the hope of maintaining fine interschool and college relations for the future.

Figures and statistics are not lively reading in a report but in this case they may reveal the amount of activity that has gone on in the Guidance office. During the months from November 1945 through October 1946, a typical twelve-month period showing summer, winter, evening business, the total number of interviews was 6,938. Some of these were single interviews, some were interviews repeated in a long case study. Of this total, 2,439 were undergraduates; 303 were parents; 1,793 were veterans. Over 200 General Educational Development Tests were proctored as a preliminary to presenting a veteran as a candidate for a State Equivalency Certificate and Numerous USAFI and college entrance examinations for veterans were supervised.

Figures supplied by Mr. Alexander Thomson indicate how the Placement activities have developed. Each job

interview has been at the same time an educational and occupational counseling period, and has involved even home visits.

Summary of Placement Activities

Maximum part-time candidates	425
(Under 16 years of age)	287
Employed	534
Employment Vacancies	541
Employer Contacts	552
Part-time Placements	385
Full-time Placements	101

While the entire senior class is available for post-school placement, the placement office is concerned largely with those properly prepared for business. Its aim is to select candidates best qualified to meet employer requirements and to prepare them for the interview.

Part-time employment is encouraged when the opportunities available are of benefit to the student without interfering with school progress.

Individual initiative in job finding is encouraged.

Follow-up Summary of the class of June 1946

Armed Services	61
Employed	179
Unemployed	9
College	37
Junior College	9
Teachers College	10
Hospital Training	13
Business School	31
Textile School	11
Preparatory School	3
Other schools	8
Married	5
At home	6

The quantity of personal counseling accomplished during this first year has been possible because of the long hours put in by Mr. Thomson and his comprehension, from his previous experience and training, of the possibilities in a Guidance program.

In September, a third trained counselor was added to the staff. Miss Mary E. Carroll has had a fine record of accomplishment as a classroom teacher and as a careful guidance worker through the medium of her subject matter, Mathematics. She has had professional training in Guidance on a graduate level at Harvard. Miss Carroll has taken over a portion of the counseling duties, particularly those that pertain to the adjustment problems of younger students in the High School. She is available seven periods a day for conferences with students and parents. She is now in charge, as Miss Shennan was previously, of the Honor Society and its subsidiary activities, The Crimson Courier and the Study Clinic.

Teachers in the High School have been most cooperative in accepting the burden of filling out numerous forms which are of service in guidance. They have even expressed a satisfaction and pleasure in the chore, which is proof of real professional zeal. That same fine spirit in an experimental venture has been shown by the twenty members who have worked all year on the development of a Cumulative Record, the form of which will be completed during the coming year. Once it is installed, the Cumulative Record will make guidance in New Bedford a continuing process from Kindergarten through High School and beyond.

In conclusion, the Director is grateful for steady growth that has been fostered by the understanding of colleagues and chief administrators in the school department.

Respectfully submitted,

SUSAN E. SHENNAN

Report of the Agent of William E. Sargent Athletic Field

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Burke:

At your request, I am submitting my first report as Agent for Sargent Field.

The City took possession of the field in April 1946, so it has been under the jurisdiction of the School Department for only nine months. Due to lack of funds in the High School Athletic Association and the Sargent Field Corporation, the whole Athletic Association plant was in pretty bad shape. I think you will agree with me that we have made a good start when you note the following repairs and improvements.

A new fence in the west side, which has also been painted.

All new wiring has been installed in the Club House and new flood lights both on top of the grand stand and underneath it.

A new water main to the street was put in and the trap so placed in the Club House that it will not freeze up as in the past.

The stairs in the grandstand were in bad shape so new steel brackets were placed underneath all the treads.

The six hot water heaters were taken out, sent to Boston, repaired and reconditioned, so there is plenty of hot water for the showers.

Over fifty old planks in the grandstand were replaced with new ones. Many more are needed but at present they are hard to get due to scarcity of material.

A new trailer and roller were built for the Field by the New Bedford Vocational High School.

Part of the roof on the Club House was replaced and all the roof was tarred. All woodwork inside and outside of the building was given a fresh coat of paint.

Another ticket booth was built west of the Club House and a new floor laid in the reporters' booth on top of the grandstand.

Thirty loads of top soil and one hundred pounds of grass seed were purchased to improve the playing surface of the football field and baseball diamond.

The old portable stands were repaired temporarily and used once more.

Two new runways and jumping pits were built for the track team. The track was rolled and made in excellent condition.

With the exception of the new fence all the above improvements were done by the men in the School Department. Mr. John Egan has been very generous with his time and his assignment of department mechanics to do the wonderful job they have done. Mr. William Murray and his assistants have worked hard and put in long hours to accomplish all they have in such a short time.

Many new improvements and equipment are needed at the field and I would like to mention a few.

Our 1925 tractor is still struggling along with the help of Mr. Elmer Snyder and his boys at the New Bedford Vocational High School. We need a new one and a Jeep would be the best investment as it could be used in the winter time to plow off the sidewalk of the school buildings.

At present Mr. Murray is using his own car when the trailer is used to go after supplies or haul rubbish to the dump.

The fence on the east side is in bad condition and should be replaced soon.

New portable bleachers are needed for the north side of the football field. We need seats for three thousand but if we were to start with at least a thousand next year it would help a great deal.

Better facilities for the Ladies Room under the grandstand are needed badly. The present setup is inadequate.

In the near future we should plan on the installation of lights on the football field, so night games may be played.

Now that the city owns the field there will be more and more demands, for various activities on the ground. If we are going to maintain a decent playing surface on the football or baseball fields, something will have to be done about acquiring more land, so that those parts of the field can be kept in good shape. The city owns the land north of the field and that might be put to good use by moving the north fence so as to enclose some of it.

In closing I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Street, Engineering and Park Departments for their cooperation. Without it, we would not have accomplished all that we did.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. BEACH

Report of the Continuation School Principals

REPORT OF THE BOYS' CONTINUATION SCHOOL

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

During the past year a great many changes have taken place in the personnel of our department.

Our Clerk, Miss Esther Fine, died during the summer vacation. She had been a faithful employee since our school opened twenty-six years ago. Mrs. Helene Malone and Mr. Benjamin Wilson, military substitutes for the past few years, did not return in September because of transfers. Both were efficient teachers. On November 11, 1946 Mr. Frederic J. W. Hayford, Director of Continuation Schools, retired.

We have three additions to our faculty and staff. Mr. George W. King, transferred from the Knowlton Workshop, is now our Academic and Related instructor. Mr. Ernest A. Bourgeois is instructor of Machine Shop practice. Both were approved by Mr. M. Norcross Stratton, Director of Vocational Education, State Department of Education. Miss Dorothy B. Gibbs has replaced our clerk. We welcome them to their new work.

Enrollment figures for the year 1945-1946 were as follows:

Continuation School	60
General Vocational Dept.	201
Total Served	261

Principals and teachers should be on the alert to discover potential teen-age workers: those who intend to ask for permits to go to work before they reach their sixteenth birthday. Application blanks should be filled out and sent to our school so that we may enroll these pupils for further study, before they enter industry. All pupils who applied for entrance during the year were accepted and at present our waiting list is small.

The Woodworking shops carried on numerous projects for pupils, the School Department and individuals. The new benches at the Clarence A. Cook School, with the exception of the tops, were made during the past year.

The Electrical department serviced radio and amplifier sets. At the North School the Sound Movie Projectors and equipment were serviced for the Audio-Visual Education Department. This was a new service and a very interesting one.

The North End Machine Department turned out products for several mills, individuals and city departments. Our South End Machine Shop is in need of new equipment throughout. The machines are so bad that precision work cannot be carried out. The government has a large surplus of machine shop equipment available to schools for transportation charges. We should be able to get some of this surplus to build up our shops. Some new equipment could be used for the Electrical and Woodwork Shops.

The classrooms and shops in both schools are in need of a good paint job. It has been a number of years since it was done. Right now the teachers are giving thought to "Color Dynamics," a science which is used in some of the new schools and in industry. There are many benefits to be derived from this kind of painting. I would suggest that we try this out during the next year.

Respectfully submitted,

ENGLEBERT WOBECKY

GIRLS' CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

This year has had marked changes for the Girls' Continuation School. The Veterans Administration acquired the Sylvia Ann Howland School Building where we had been centrally located since we established our classes there in September 1922. The John H. Clifford School, a twelve-room building in the north end of the city, was then made available to us.

Much time and energy have been spent on the building to make it available for a school of home making. A very good start has been made in that direction but there is need of much more to be done to maintain our established standards.

All of the classes are accommodated in rooms on the first floor. This arrangement has made it easier for the teachers to carry on their work and simplified the administration of the building.

The location of the school has its disadvantages. There are girls who live in the very southerly part of the city who find the distance a hardship. The drop in the number of the south end girls enrolled is considerable. Although there has been assistance given in the transportation expenses the real problem is distance and the time necessary to cover it. There has been no increase in the number from the northerly section of the city to offset this loss.

The whole country is conscious of the teen-age group at the present time with their many problems of social adjustment. The continuation school teachers have made a particular study of the fourteen to sixteen year old group

over a period of years. They have learned to know each of their pupils intimately with the result that many of the girls have learned to build up their spirits, helping to keep their minds contented thereby becoming better citizens.

The opportunities of employment for this age group are again becoming fewer. They must remain in full time school attendance. The general vocational department has provided very fine opportunities for many of them. Dislike for the traditional day school program has always been the major excuse for desiring to leave school when the legal school requirements have been accomplished. A good percentage of the girls enrolled in this department have completed the sixth grade through the avenue of the workshop classes. At various times in the past* consideration has been given to the making of a course of study providing for the minimum requirements of the seventh and eighth grades to provide continuity of the workshop philosophy, granting a grammar school diploma at the completion of the work. I recommend that this matter be given serious consideration during the next year so this handicapped group may be given greater opportunity for education. We have the equipment and the trained teachers to do it. The general vocational department is a State aided program, the State would pay half the maintenance costs.

Follow-up has continued to be an activity peculiar to our type of school. It is the foundation of our class room procedures and a valuable source of material for the instruction given in occupational information groups. Home visiting is indispensable in learning the family background of the individual girls so our conferences whether social, moral, educational or vocational in character are more efficacious. The teachers have appreciated the splendid cooperation they have enjoyed from parents and employers alike.

(*See Mr. Sadler's report in Annual Report of School Department 1940, p. 25.)

Productivity of the shops has been most satisfactory in spite of the many shortages of necessary materials. We have all learned much from making the most from the use of substitutes. In many instances we will continue to make use of the new things science presented as substitutes.

May I take this opportunity to thank all who have helped to add another successful year in aiding the girls of this group.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH D. MURRAY

Report of the Supervisor of Practical Arts for Girls in Junior High Schools

Mr. W. Kenneth Burke
Superintendent of Schools
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request I submit the following report of the work with girls in the Practical Arts Department of the junior high schools.

A definite step forward in serving the girls of the center schools has been made this school year. The schools served are the Clarence A. Cook, Thomas R. Rodman, Parker Street and Mt. Pleasant. Previously, Foods was the only shop activity offered to girls of the seventh and eighth grade levels who were not enrolled at either of the junior high schools. Arrangements have been made with the Girls' Continuation School to use part of the instruction time of two of the trade teachers, to provide further home making training. In the eighth grade one half of the school year the girls will spend one session a week in home nursing. If they successfully complete the required work they will receive a Junior Red Cross certificate in Home Nursing. The other half of the year one session will be spent each week in work in clothing. This set up means that there are five classes in Clothing and five classes in Home Nursing each week. These opportunities are provided at the John H. Clifford School where the Girls' Continuation School is now housed.

The difficulties in securing food stuffs, sewing material and equipment replacements, in fact all rationed and scarce

articles, have lessened making the problems facing the teachers a little less difficult. During the war emergencies they had shown remarkable ingenuity and originality in using such materials as were available, thus aiding the war effort to no small degree.

The department suffered a great loss with the death of Miss Marguerite Whitney, a teacher of Home Problems at the Roosevelt Junior High School. A pioneer in our junior high school program she helped organize the course of study, holding high standards of achievement.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH D. MURRAY

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COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

March 19, 1947

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council
New Bedford, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my annual report of the operations of the Department of Public Works for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Appropriations and expenditures for the entire year are shown in the various tables, together with a chart giving the comparative Highway expenditures covering the period from 1923 to 1946 inclusive.

STREET CONSTRUCTION. Bituminous macadam, bituminous gravel, and Type 1 streets were resurfaced to the extent of 48,550.74 square yards. The program of laying a two inch top of Type 1 material over the existing surface of certain streets was continued. Among streets thus treated were Kempton Street, from County to Jenny Lind and Nash Road, from the railroad tracks to Mt. Pleasant. Approximately 3.54 miles of streets were seal-coated.

SEWERS. New sewers were laid in the following streets: Coral Street, Dolphin Street, Jireh Street, Ohio Street, Rodney French Boulevard West, and in the Veterans Housing Project at King's Highway and Mt. Pleasant Street.

NEW EQUIPMENT. The purchasing of nine dump trucks will virtually eliminate further truck hire in the Highway Division except in cases of emergency. Other much needed equipment purchased was a tandem roller, catch basin cleaner, sand spreader, and a hydraulic snow plow.

CHAPTER 90. Under Section 34, Chapter 90 of the General Laws, a contract for the reconstruction of a certain portion of Mt. Pleasant Street was awarded to John Gallo, Sagamore, Massachusetts, the work to be performed in 1947.

I take the opportunity at this time to express my appreciation for the cooperation that I have received from His Honor the Mayor, members of the City Council, the various Department Heads, and my own faithful assistants in carrying on the work of this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. FOLEY,
Commissioner.

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GENERAL STATISTICS

January 1, 1947

Set off from Dartmouth	1787
Incorporated as a city.....	1847
Length of city	10.78 miles
Breadth of city (Maximum)	3.10 miles
Highest point — 1250 ft. north of Rockdale Avenue and Hathaway Road	
Elevation	181.50 feet
Geometrical center of city — Nash Rd. and Mt. Pleasant St.	
Area — Land	12,235 acres
Ponds	193 acres
Land and Ponds	12,428 acres — 19.41 sq. miles
Tidal water	8,457 acres — 13.22 sq. miles

	20,885 acres — 32.63 sq. miles
Length of frontage on tidal waters	10.13 miles
Depth of main channel	30 ft. at low water
Average rise and fall of tide.....	3.66 feet
Population — Registrar of Voters estimate	110,658
Assessed valuation	\$98,594,475
Assessed valuation per capita	\$890.98
Accepted streets — Area 1,272 acres	218.52 miles
Bridges (3)	0.796 miles in New Bedford
Sewers	207.75 miles
Length of Intercepting Sewer:	
Outfall	0.626 miles
Interceptors	9.188 miles
16 Parks and 6 Public Playgrounds — Area	456.57 acres
40 School Buildings — Area of ground	73.76 acres

STREET INVENTORY

January 1, 1947

Bridges:

Coggeshall Street — $\frac{3}{4}$ maintained by New Bedford.
 Slocum Street — $\frac{1}{2}$ maintained by New Bedford.

Pavements:

(NOTE: — In the following list the area is the total of that kind of pavement on all streets, but the length is the length of streets where that material is the principal pavement.)

	Length Miles	Area Sq. Yds.
Bitulithic and similar	69.96	1,309,926
Bituminous macadam	92.30	1,493,363
Water bound macadam	23.37	193,411
Granite Block	10.40	150,826
Wood Block	0.00	1,104
Brick	0.06	9,746
Bituminous gravel	3.90	55,677
Cobble	0.04	695
Concrete	0.20	10,313
Gravel	18.05	229,080
Unimproved street	5.15	
(Some have been graded)		

Sidewalks:

Cement concrete	138.012	575,182
Tar concrete	25.271	106,270
Flagstone	22.366	63,182
Granite curbing	274.34	1,448,496
Concrete curbing	6.78	35,765
Concrete (combine curb and gutter)	1.05	5,544

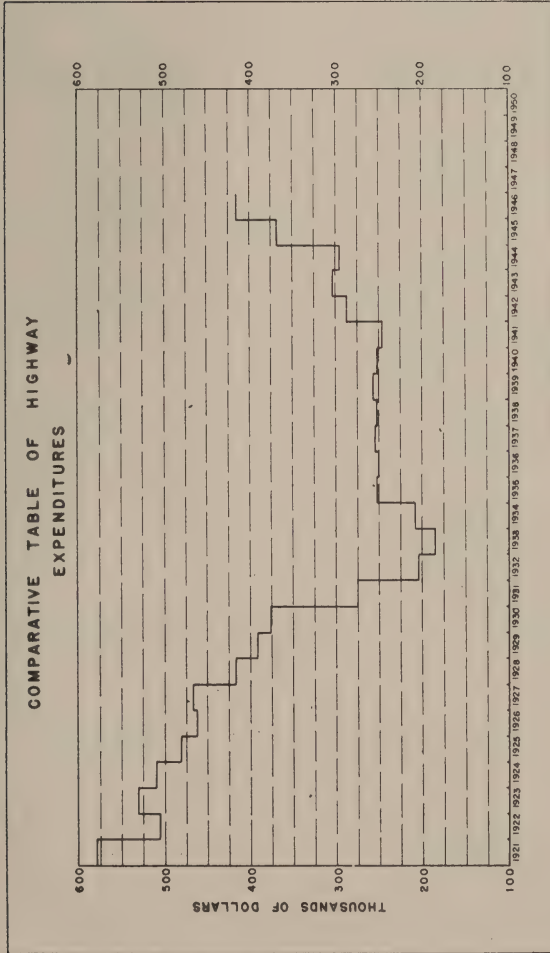
Sewers:

207.75 miles of sewers (including interceptor)
 cost, \$5,560,818.25

Combined	122.39 miles
Sanitary	37.54 miles
Storm	38.00 miles
Interceptor and outfall	9.81 miles
2418 catch basins	
1029 inlets	

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES — 1946

Account	Appropriation	Refunds & Transfer Credits	Total	Expenditures	Balance
Highways.....	S & W.....	\$ 2,426.56	\$ 30,634.06	\$ 29,490.88	\$1,143.18
	Labor.....	49,495.61	257,826.49	256,228.61	1,597.88
	Hd. Equip.....	3,522.53	31,522.53	30,030.82	1,491.71
	Gen. Exp.....	10,630.78	90,630.78	90,618.65	12.13
	Pensions.....	9,325.99	9,325.99	9,325.99	
	New Equip.....	33,212.47	33,212.47	33,212.47	
Engineering.....	S & W.....	3,384.72	25,032.11	24,881.14	150.97
	Gen. Exp.....	400.00	1,900.00	1,887.00	13.00
Forestry.....	S & W.....	418.43	4,115.80	4,039.44	76.36
	Labor.....	3,957.76	13,358.36	12,217.33	1,141.03
	Hd. Equip.....		500.00	384.00	116.00
	Gen. Exp.....		1,900.00	1,897.40	2.60
	Pensions.....		866.05	866.05	
	New Equip.....		1,597.41	1,597.41	
Sewers & Drains.....	Labor.....	661.99	9,736.33	9,736.33	
	Hd. Equip.....		794.78	794.78	
	Gen. Exp.....		2,266.76	2,266.76	
	Pensions.....		3,017.00	3,017.00	
Sewage Disposal.....	S & W.....	200.00	24,686.65	24,262.28	424.37
	Labor.....	2,628.41	12,750.00	12,747.82	2.18
	Gen. Exp.....		786.50	786.50	
	Pensions.....		1,332.76	1,332.76	
	New Equip.....		50.00	12.81	37.19
Bridges.....	Labor.....		25.00	5.25	19.75
	Hd. Equip.....		25.00	23.58	1.42
	Gen. Exp.....				
TOTALS.....	\$480,186.04	\$77,726.79	\$557,912.83	\$551,683.06	\$6,229.77



HIGHWAYS ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURES

Accidents — Compensation, Salaries, Supplies		\$3,699.06
Ashes and Rubbish — Collection and Disposal		65,137.76
Buildings — Repaired		52.47
Claims		75.00
Corners — Widened		674.15
Curb — Setting		
New	3,444.33	
Used	2,479.17	
	-----	5,923.50
Driveways — Repaired		223.93
Entries		19.47
Fences — Repaired		957.39
Forestry — Repairs		991.40
Garage — Municipal		
Maintenance	5,466.81	
Service cars	11,754.26	
	-----	17,221.07
Gutters — Repaired		293.60
Holes and Washouts		7,205.19
Miscellaneous		2,665.97
Office — Main		
Salaries	\$14,436.01	
Supplies	1,162.17	
	-----	15,598.18
Office — Yard		
Salaries and Labor	\$4,728.87	
Supplies	383.01	
	-----	5,111.88
Pensions		9,405.99
Ramps — Setting		6.97
Sick Leave		7,369.78
Signs and Lines		
Memorial Signs and Markers	\$ 262.28	
Street Signs	1,072.73	
Traffic Signs	5,136.65	
Warning Signs	455.64	
Traffic Lines	6,310.16	
	-----	13,237.46

Snow and Ice		
Plowing and Removal	\$6,721.22	
Sanding Icy Streets	3,284.40	
Snow Machinery Repairs	854.42	
	-----	10,860.04
Streets — Cleaned		
Hand Sweeping	\$19,564.53	
Machine Sweeping	19,916.13	
	-----	39,480.66
Streets — Repaired		
Bituminous Gravel	\$ 1,334.31	
Bituminous Macadam and Similar	13,227.28	
Block Paving	733.35	
Cinder, Dirt and Gravel	13,607.49	
Warrenite and Similar	60,012.49	
Waterbound Macadam	3,212.51	
	-----	92,127.43
Supplies		2,088.13
Surface Treatment (seal coat)		
Entire Street	\$9,292.06	
Patching	81.18	
	-----	9,373.24
Tools		
New	\$ 47.38	
Repaired	1,848.11	
	-----	1,895.49
Toolhouses and Trailers — Repaired		741.90
Vacations		9,933.67
Walks — New		
Granolithic		8,187.97
Walks — Repaired		
Cinder, Dirt, Screening	\$7,568.95	
Flagstone	716.33	
Granolithic	2,562.44	
Tar	571.39	
	-----	11,419.11
Walls		418.38
Weeds — Rag, Brush (cutting and removing)		613.49
Yard — City		
Maintenance — Shops, Lights,		
Watching, etc.	\$16,214.34	
Storehouse — Salaries and		
Maintenance	2,352.20	
	-----	18,566.54

Charges

Service Corporations	\$2,054.13	
Other Departments, Misc.	7,959.49	
	-----	10,013.62

Catch Basins

Cleaned	\$6,620.10	
Cleared and Flushed	504.39	
New	750.77	
Repaired	953.73	
Drains, cleared and flushed	524.18	
Drains, new	62.62	
Drains, repaired	50.10	
	-----	9,465.89

Charges

144.62

Drains

Cleared	\$ 795.00	
Maintenance	414.08	
New	7,563.53	
Repaired	846.49	
Repaired (no charge)	598.70	
Cuts repaired	764.40	
Shed maintenance	64.83	
	-----	11,047.03

Eyeholes

Flushed, cleaned and repaired	\$538.99	
New	151.24	
	-----	690.23

Manholes

Flushed	\$4,952.02	
New	163.06	
Repaired	14.12	
	-----	5,129.20

Sewers

Cleared	\$ 765.98	
New	11,261.16	
Repaired	1,070.39	
Veterans' Housing, King's Highway —		
Charges	3,548.21	
Veterans' Housing, Paid by Highways	971.33	
	-----	17,617.07

Tools — New and Repaired

11.02

\$415,694.95

New Equipment

1 Buffalo-Springfield Tandem Roller	\$ 2,900.00	
7 Ford Dump Trucks — 1½ Ton Capacity	11,496.24	
2 Ford Dump Trucks — 2½ Ton Capacity	4,358.22	
1 Ford Pick Up Truck — ¾ Ton Capacity	864.99	
1 Good Roads Sand Spreader with safety seat attachment	325.40	
1 Mercury Sedan Coupe	1,246.34	
1 Netco Catch Basin Cleaner	5,635.00	
2 Refuse Getters Mounted on Ford Truck Chassis	5,991.28	
1 Walsh Holyoke Hydraulic Snow Plow	395.00	
	<hr/>	33,212.47
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1946

ENGINEERING ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURES

Payrolls	\$24,881.14
Motor car maintenance	944.32
Equipment maintenance	40.82
Platting system	141.50
Power	146.83
Printing and binding	8.85
Stationery and supplies	19.95
Engineering supplies	468.80
Meteorological	31.15
All other	84.78
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	\$26,768.14

FORESTRY ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURES

Accident		\$10.00
Office Salaries and Supplies		1,665.58
Pensions		866.05
Sick leave		365.03
Vacations		508.76
Pest exterminations:		
Elm leaf Beetle	\$1,105.15	
Gypsy Moth	3,341.12	
Tent Caterpillars	1,232.32	
Supplies	3.80	
	-----	5,682.39
Shade Trees:		
Planting	\$1,250.14	
Care and trimming	3,536.36	
Removing	3,392.31	
	-----	8,178.81
Maintenance:		
Motor	\$1,129.38	
Sprayer and trailer	74.74	
	-----	1,204.12
Light and Power		34.75
Miscellaneous work		286.45
Tools, new and repairs		136.73
Supplies		465.55

		\$19,404.22
New Equipment		
One 1½ ton Ford Dump Truck		1,597.41

		\$21,001.63

FORESTRY ACCOUNT**SUMMARY OF WORK**

9,415	Trees, (approx.) now shading city streets
700	Requests made at the office
580	Trees trimmed and treated in answer to requests
24	Inspections made requiring no labor by the department
7	Hornets' nests removed
113	Dead or dangerous trees removed
18	Trees removed after hearing
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131	Total trees removed from streets
144	Trees planted

HIGHWAYS — COMPARATIVE TABLE OF CERTAIN EXPENDITURES

	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946
Ash Collection	\$33,700.36	\$37,231.32	\$44,985.12	\$47,962.47	\$56,478.95	\$65,137.76
Curbing, new	1,289.93	4,066.56	2,208.07	3,601.18	800.66	3,444.33
Gutters, repaired	1,715.09	1,258.82	560.79	276.15	.....	293.60
Holes and washouts	4,564.77	5,956.52	6,644.83	3,954.77	6,940.41	7,295.19
Signs and Lines						
Street Signs	1,457.90	1,704.73	1,434.53	1,340.62	1,074.90	1,072.73
Traffic Signs	3,513.55	4,394.35	3,274.34	3,872.55	5,083.41	5,136.65
Warning Signs	153.82	572.27	611.39	380.63	243.71	455.64
Traffic Lines	4,277.30	4,729.90	4,007.97	4,125.80	5,373.90	6,310.16
Snow and Ice	19,526.27	22,014.22	20,684.30	7,931.20	94,233.97	10,860.04
Sweeping and cleaning Streets... Streets, repaired	36,849.85	34,022.44	36,801.97	32,445.24	30,557.58	39,480.66
Bituminous gravel	2,412.78	519.90	1,763.70	548.03	4,846.86	1,334.31
Bit. mac. and similar	18,535.45	5,987.29	15,630.19	25,038.55	28,583.57	13,227.28
Block paving	155.89	148.86	404.49	170.34	349.36	733.35
Cinder, dirt and gravel	4,774.20	13,500.36	5,162.59	7,258.87	3,182.93	13,607.49
Warrentie and similar	10,357.36	45,128.98	18,136.01	25,407.66	58,685.91	60,012.49
Waterbound macadam	914.61	1,213.43	2,499.31	1,372.92	2,439.59	3,212.51
Walks, repaired						
Cinder and dirt	8,769.96	9,939.34	6,173.15	6,636.47	4,968.77	7,568.95
Flagstone	461.25	262.75	280.99	411.56	143.66	716.33
Granolithic	1,327.87	659.74	877.31	506.40	519.35	2,562.44
Tar	459.33	428.72	601.20	434.89	294.73	571.39

SEWERS AND DRAINS ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURES

January 1, 1946 through April 20, 1946

Catch basins, cleaned	\$1,288.71
Catch basins, cleared and flushed	121.16
Catch basins, repaired	236.68
Catch basin drains, cleared and repaired	964.27
Culverts, repaired	652.01
Drains, cleared	542.92
Drains, maintenance	42.46
Drains, new	696.85
Drains, relaid	10.88
Drains, repaired	760.54
Drain building and shed	4.00
Drain cuts, repaired	113.14
Eyeholes, cleaned	317.54
Inlets, new and repaired	78.91
Manholes, flushed	2,220.96
Manholes, repaired	12.85
Sewers, cleared	346.83
Sewers, new	1,337.72
Sewers, repaired	471.87
Sick leave	175.51
Supplies	2,071.93
Surface drains, repaired	108.82
Tools, new and repaired	129.33
Charges	91.98
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	\$12,797.87

BRIDGE ACCOUNT

Repairs to Coggeshall St. Bridge	\$26.14*
Repairs to Wood St. Bridge	15.50

Total Bridge Cost	\$41.54

*One-fourth share to Town of Fairhaven \$6.54

VETERANS HOUSING PROJECT

King's Highway and Mt. Pleasant St.	
Laying drains	\$11,327.84*

*Additional expenditures amounting to \$971.33 paid by
Highways Division.

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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION DATA

Number of no lost time accidents	28
Average age of injured employee	49
Number of lost time accidents	13
Average age of injured employee	48
Hearing before Industrial Accident Board	0
Conferences before Industrial Accident Board	0
Number of fatal cases	0

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT FOR INTERCEPTING SEWER

For Year 1946

EXPENDITURES

Station	Labor and Supervision	GENERAL EXPENSES							Totals
		Bldg. Maint.	Equip. Maint.	Light Power Fuel	Tele-phone	Supplies	Water	All Other	
Apponagansett Street	\$2,646.95	.....	\$ 35.55	\$ 966.09	\$56.04	\$107.23	\$ 5.00	\$ 25.82	\$1,195.73
Belleville Avenue	3,650.33	.....	239.61	1,898.52	56.04	109.43	9.73	1.65	2,314.98
Cove Road	5,839.80	.....	496.51	4,776.97	56.04	114.29	12.83	3.32	5,459.96
Howard Avenue	1,852.22	.....	302.85	453.16	56.04	105.10	5.00	1.65	923.80
Howland Street	2,800.30	.....	200.66	376.70	.....	104.61	5.00	25.82	712.79
Screen House	9,816.25	\$1.32	101.12	1,064.46	57.60	112.51	21.54	1.66	1,360.21
General Maintenance:									
Flushing	673.43						6.41		6.41
All Other:									
Motor Maintenance.....								767.94	767.94
Medical								6.00	6.00
New Equipment								1,352.76	1,352.76
Pensions	786.50								
	\$28,065.78	\$1.32	\$1,376.30	\$9,535.90	\$281.76	\$653.17	\$65.51	\$2,186.62	\$14,100.58

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD 1946

PREPARED BY THE ENGINEERING DIVISION

MONTH	BAROMETER		THERMOMETER				WIND										SKY		MONTH		
	Maximum	Minimum	Range	Means of Daily Maximum and Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Means of Daily Range	N	N.E.	E	S.E.	S	S.W.	W	N.W.	Variable	Clear	Partly Cloudy		Cloudy	Rain and Melted Snow
JANUARY	30.52	29.14	1.38	30.68	53	3	14.26	2	2	1	2	0	5	0	14	5	16	2	13	4.45	JANUARY
FEBRUARY	30.50	29.25	1.25	29.59	51	7	15.75	0	2	0	3	0	9	1	10	3	15	4	9	3.06	FEBRUARY
MARCH	30.40	29.57	0.83	44.87	75	23	17.68	0	5	1	4	1	10	0	5	5	22	4	5	1.63	MARCH
APRIL	30.43	29.26	1.17	45.07	64	28	13.93	2	5	0	1	1	10	1	9	1	9	9	12	2.95	APRIL
MAY	30.35	29.60	0.75	55.94	80	38	14.84	2	6	0	1	2	11	1	5	3	15	3	13	5.03	MAY
JUNE	30.28	29.72	0.56	65.14	87	45	15.93	0	3	0	1	0	20	1	3	2	17	3	10	2.79	JUNE
JULY	30.22	29.83	0.39	70.31	88	53	16.42	0	5	1	1	0	15	0	2	7	12	5	14	0.79	JULY
AUGUST	30.31	29.70	0.61	68.52	86	52	12.77	1	9	1	2	0	11	1	4	2	11	8	12	12.97	AUGUST
SEPTEMBER	30.38	29.48	0.90	66.87	88	50	14.27	0	7	2	7	2	8	1	1	2	16	3	11	2.87	SEPTEMBER
OCTOBER	30.50	29.63	0.87	60.03	90	41	16.90	1	8	2	1	1	12	0	6	0	17	7	7	0.69	OCTOBER
NOVEMBER	30.59	29.63	0.96	50.48	68	32	13.30	0	5	0	4	1	10	0	10	2	11	7	12	0.84	NOVEMBER
DECEMBER	30.58	29.34	1.24	39.07	63	8	15.36	1	1	0	1	2	7	4	11	4	7	11	13	4.18	DECEMBER
Means for Year				52.21			15.12														
Totals for Year	30.59	29.14	1.38		90	3		9	56	8	28	10	128	10	80	36	168	66	131	42.25	
Extremes																					

This table is based on calendar day from midnight to midnight.

RECORD OF TIDES—1946

MONTH	HIGH TIDES			LOW TIDES			AVERAGE RANGE
	AVERAGE	HIGHEST	LOWEST	AVERAGE	HIGHEST	LOWEST	
JANUARY	+ .21	+2.0	-1.0	-3.39	-2.4	-5.0	3.60
FEBRUARY	+ .14	+2.0	-2.0	-3.47	-1.8	-5.0	3.61
MARCH	+ .31	+1.1	-1.1	-3.52	-2.2	-4.3	3.83
APRIL	+ .61	+2.5	-0.6	-3.13	-1.9	-4.4	3.74
MAY	+ .56	+2.2	-0.6	-3.29	-2.6	-4.6	3.85
JUNE	+ .54	+1.8	-0.3	-3.16	-2.6	-4.1	3.70
JULY	+ .56	+1.6	-0.4	-3.13	-2.4	-3.9	3.69
AUGUST	+ .60	+1.6	-0.4	-3.03	-2.2	-3.8	3.63
SEPTEMBER	+ .46	+1.5	-0.6	-3.14	-2.2	-4.0	3.60
OCTOBER	+ .48	+2.2	-1.2	-2.89	-1.8	-3.5	3.37
NOVEMBER	+ .51	+2.6	-0.8	-2.86	-1.8	-3.8	3.37
DECEMBER	+ .30	+2.0	-1.8	-3.18	-1.9	-4.7	3.48
AVERAGE FOR YEAR	+ .44			-3.18			3.62
EXTREME FOR YEAR		+2.6	-2.0		-1.8	-5.0	

All figures above refer to "mean high water" which is used at 0.85' below City Datum.

Observations for the last 50 years indicate that:—

Average high water is 0.718' below City Datum.

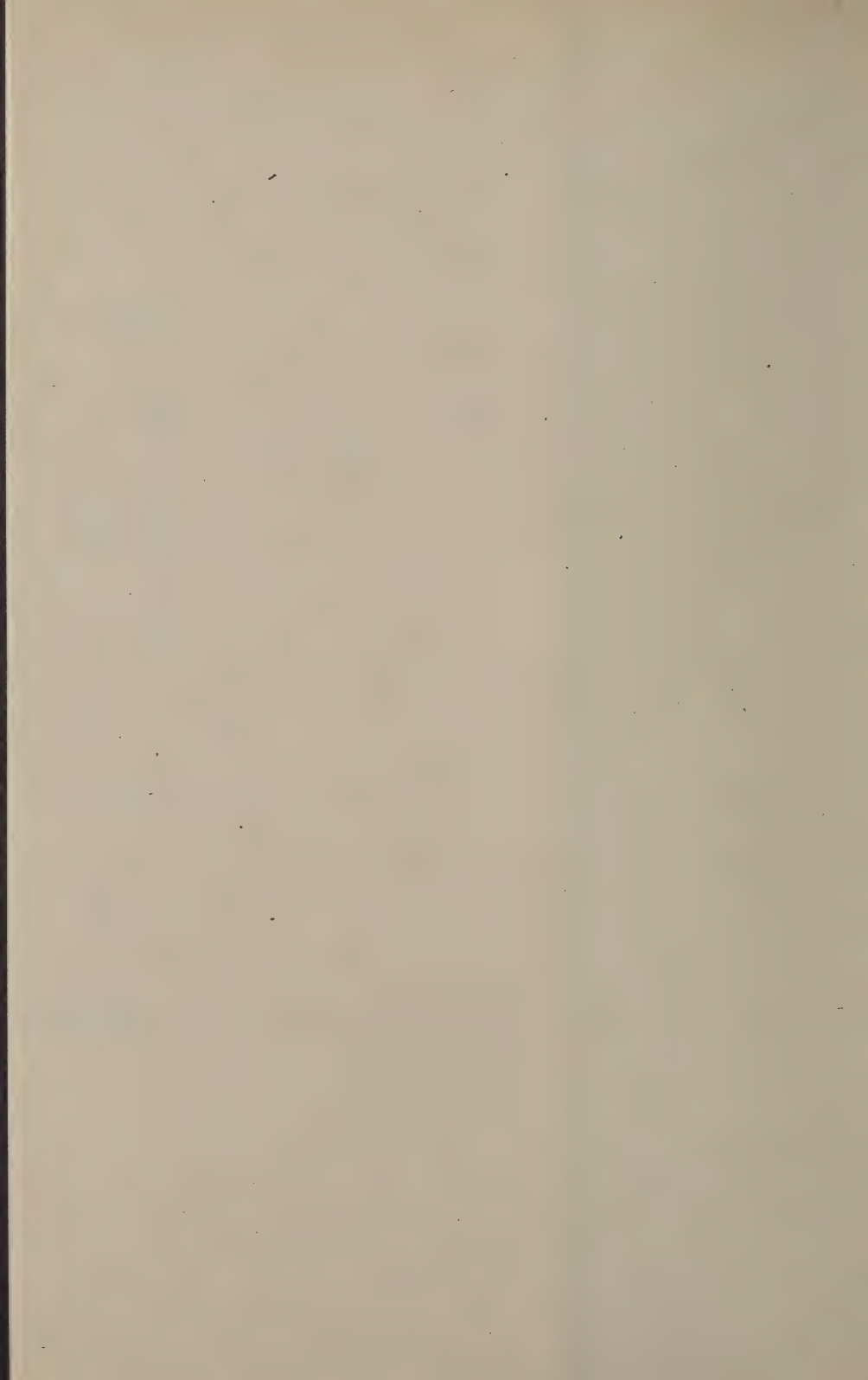
Average low water is 4.381' below City Datum.

Average range of tide is 3.66 feet.

C SCREEN HOUSE ON CLARK'S POINT.-TOTAL FOR YEAR 40.10
E ENGINEERING DIV. AT CENTER OF CITY.-TOTAL FOR YEAR 42.41

Q PUMPING STATION AT QUITTACUS POND.-TOTAL FOR YEAR 47.79

NOTE:—Day begins at 8:00 A.M. and ends at 8:00 A.M. the following day.



STREETS LAID OUT AND ACCEPTED — 1946

STREET	LOCATION	DATE	Length and Width in Feet 50
Becket Street	Acushnet Avenue to Adelaide Street	Jan. 5, 1946	474.43
Bonito Street	Rodney French Blvd. W. to east 342.36 ft.	April 1, 1946	342.36
Bream Street	Rodney French Blvd. W. to east 378.93 ft.	April 1, 1946	378.93
Caswell Street	Tarklin Hill Road to Ohio Street	Jan. 5, 1946	427.90
Chicopee Street	Conduit Street to Caswell Street	Jan. 5, 1946	508.65
Coral Street	Rodney French Blvd. W. to east 340.07 ft.	April 1, 1946	340.07
Dolphin Street	Rodney French Blvd. W. to east 367.17 ft.	April 1, 1946	367.17
Jarry Street	Conduit Street to Caswell Street	Jan. 14, 1946	580.84
Nautilus Street	Dolphin Street to Bream Street	April 1, 1946	1,080.35
Wilbur Street	Rockdale Avenue to east 262.78 ft.	Aug. 17, 1946	262.78
Wilson Street	Shawmut Avenue		
	Present terminus to west 50.00 ft.	Nov. 20, 1946	50.00
TOTAL			4,813.48

TOTAL ACCEPTED STREETS — 4,813.48 FEET

STREETS DISCONTINUED — 1946

STREET	LOCATION	DATE	LENGTH AND WIDTH IN FEET			
			25	40	50	56
Blackmer Street	Acushnet River to Front Street	Apr. 12, 1946		931.00		
Cannon Street	Acushnet River to west 130 feet	July 1, 1946	130.00			
Coffin Street	Acushnet River to Water Street	July 1, 1946		635.00		
Graham Street	Acushnet River to Belleville Ave.	Jan. 14, 1946			1,075.60	
Marsh Street	Front Street to Water Street	Apr. 12, 1946		390.05		165.27
Rockland Street	Acushnet River to Prospect Street	Apr. 12, 1946				
TOTALS			130.00	1,956.05	1,075.60	165.27

TOTAL STREETS DISCONTINUED — 3,326.92 FEET

ALTERATIONS OF LINES — 1946

STREET	LOCATION	DATE	DESCRIPTION
Cannon Street	Second Street to Acushnet Avenue	Apr. 30, 1946	Discontinuance 18.00 ft. N. side
Padanaram Avenue	Dartmouth Line to Cove Road	May 29, 1946	Discontinuance 16.00 ft. E. side

1946 SEWER CONSTRUCTION — Compiled by Engineering Division

STREET	LOCATION	SIZE AND MATERIAL VITRIFIED PIPE			TOTAL LENGTH	COST TO CITY
SEWERS or SURFACE DRAINS		6"	8"	10"		
Coral Street	Nautilus St. to Rodney Fr. Blvd. W.			16	16	165.27*
Dolphin Street	Nautilus St. to Rodney Fr. Blvd. W.			272	272	1,517.10
Federal Housing	Airport, Mt. Pleasant Street	5696			5696	4,519.54
Jirch Street	Belleville Ave. to Acushnet Ave.			177	177	1,873.48*
Ohio Street	Pine Grove Street to west 128.00'		128		128	
Rodney Fr. Blvd. W.	Coral Street to Dolphin Street			288	288	478.11
TOTALS		5,696	128	1,058	6,882	1,087.11
						9,640.61

Length added to sewer system 6,882 feet = 1.30 miles. Total Length 207.75 miles. Total Cost \$5,560,818.25.

*Not completed.

ANNUAL REPORT

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS

For the Year 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL,

March 27, 1947

Received, placed on file and ordered printed in the City Documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

Attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY,

City Clerk

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

Seventy-seventh Annual Report

OF THE

NEW BEDFORD WATER BOARD

TO THE

CITY COUNCIL

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For Year Ending December 31, 1946.

NEW BEDFORD WATER BOARD

1947

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN.....	{ <i>Mayor of City and</i> <i>President of Water Board</i>
WALTER F. SLOCUM	Term expires June 1947
HAROLD E. LAWTON	Term expires June 1948
ALBERT SIMMONS	Term expires June 1949
MICHAEL ZAJAC	Term expires June 1950

HOWARD C. MANDELL	<i>Clerk of Board & Supt.</i>
MILTON E. ASHLEY	<i>Engineer</i>
WENDELL M. HARDY.....	<i>Water Registrar</i>
GEORGE F. BURGESS.....	<i>Chief Pumping Engineer</i>
FREDERICK W. ANTHONY.....	<i>General Foreman</i>
HELEN M. TAYLOR	<i>Clerk and Stenographer</i>
M. R. FLORENCE SULLIVAN.....	<i>Clerk and Stenographer</i>
LESTER F. SPOONER.....	<i>Water Registrar's Clerk</i>
ROMEO LANGLOIS.....	<i>Water Registrar's Clerk</i>
PAUL E. MARSHALL.....	<i>Water Registrar's Clerk</i>
PETER CARTER, JR.....	<i>Inspector</i>
WM. S. BOYLE.....	<i>Inspector</i>
THOMAS RAWCLIFFE, JR.	<i>Inspector</i>
ARTHUR L. MORENCY	<i>Inspector</i>
ALFRED PONCELET	<i>Inspector</i>
STANLEY J. KOCZERGA	<i>Inspector</i>
ARMAND J. BASTARACHE	<i>Inspector</i>
HAROLD W. LECLAIR	<i>Inspector</i>
WILLIAM A. MCHUGH	<i>Inspector</i>
ARTHUR COUNSELL	<i>Inspector</i>

WATER BOARD REPORT

*To the Mayor and City Council
of the City of New Bedford*

Gentlemen :

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 25, Section 12, of the City Code, the New Bedford Water Board herewith respectfully submits its seventy-seventh annual report, recording its operations for the calendar year 1946, and including the reports of the superintendent and the water registrar.

Whereas: In the death of

GEORGE P. HURLL

this board has lost a wise counsellor and loyal friend.

Resolved: That in appreciation of the faithful service which Mr. Hurll has rendered the City in the discharge of his duties as a member of the Water Board, we now place upon record this last formal expression of his worth and our regard for his memory.

Mr. Harold E. Lawton was nominated by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council as a member of this Board to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mr. Louis F. Vaudry, for the term ending June 1, 1948.

Mr. Michael Zajac was renominated by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council as a member of this Board for a term of four years from the first day of June, 1946 this being Mr. Zajac's second term in office.

Mr. Walter F. Slocum was nominated by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council as a member of this Board for a term ending June 1, 1947, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Hurl.

Mr. James F. Murphy, Water Piping Inspector, retired on pension after more than ten years of service. During this period his development of a laboratory under the joint sponsorship of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the New Bedford Vocational High School, and the New Bedford Water Department, to demonstrate the hazards to health inherent in improperly installed water fixtures and connections, his close supervision of new water piping on private premises, and his educational work in plumbing, public health, and sanitation organizations contributed largely to better understanding and elimination of potentially dangerous conditions.

The following abstract from the Water Registrar's report shows in condensed form the financial operations of this department during the year. Full details will be found in his report, which accompanies this.

FIRST, BASED ON THE BUDGET SYSTEM, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CITY AUDITOR'S ACCOUNT.

	Salaries & Wages	Labor	General Expense	New Equipment	Pension Account	1945 Encumb. Account	Totals
1946 Budget Appropriation	\$88,363.99	\$81,500.00	\$114,215.00	\$5,720.00	\$11,920.00		\$301,718.99
Cost of living Adjust. \$200.00							
per yr. per Emp.	7,642.67	8,791.30	103.18				16,433.97
Tax refunds						3,182.01	3,285.19
Totals	96,006.66	90,291.30	114,318.18	5,720.00	11,920.00	3,182.01	321,438.15
Expended 1946	95,275.18	89,594.09	112,659.71	5,720.00	11,920.00	2,623.47	317,792.45
Balances	731.48	697.21	1,658.47			* 558.54	** 3,645.70
* Un-expended balance 1945	Encumbrance account						
** Un-expended balance 12/31/46							
1946 Encumbrance account							
Goods ordered in 1946, delivery to be made in 1947.							
							9,490.91

SECOND, BASED ON RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Receipts

For water, meter rentals, demands and charges	\$442,085.93
Miscellaneous receipts	44,869.17
Total	486,955.10

Expenditures

Management & Repair, including Cost	
Living Adjustment	268,048.42
Interest	20,496.25
Bonds	68,000.00
Extensions	40,253.12
Total	396,797.79

Balance reverting to General Funds Dec. 31, 1946

The total outlay for the construction of these works exclusive of debt, interest, management and repair through 1945 was	90,157.31
	6,974,877.15

INCREASE

	Payments	Credit	Net
Distribution	40,253.12	13,910.65	26,342.47
Net cost of works Dec. 31, 1946	\$7,001,219.62		

The following is a statement of receipts and expenditures for the past thirteen years.
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES SINCE 1934

Year	Water Receipts for	Total Receipts	Maintenance Interest and Bonds	Extensions Paid from Regular Receipts	Extensions Paid from Bond Account	Returned to General City Funds	Total Expenditures	Balance 1st of Year
1934	346,777.53	380,593.75	315,348.29	8,441.25	16,210.00	\$41,122.93	339,999.54	
*1935	355,156.09	+644,747.25	373,619.69	8,727.45	+224,702.01	38,707.09	+606,040.16	
1936	349,689.17	+554,208.67	345,383.09	7,633.82	+144,732.69	54,937.25	+498,749.60	
1937	355,330.42	435,636.45	339,824.10	7,409.15	252.00	62,898.67	372,737.78	
1938	336,372.21	352,635.09	322,840.37	167,378.4		13,054.88	339,587.21	
1939	355,327.24	376,079.18	299,351.11	18,905.73		51,821.34	318,257.84	
1940	358,332.76	369,535.15	291,275.52	9,498.36		65,811.27	303,773.88	
1941	374,525.08	385,268.72	274,003.40	12,050.13	10,004.16	100,215.19	286,053.53	
1942	394,890.92	408,048.94	291,428.04	13,344.03	1,200.00	103,276.87	304,772.07	
1943	405,221.35	420,124.01	295,646.92	6,595.64		115,971.45	303,152.56	
1944	416,555.95	433,596.52	311,690.64	14,769.38		107,046.50	326,450.02	
1945	425,009.92	455,385.88	317,184.27	12,079.42		127,122.19	329,263.69	
1946	442,085.93	486,955.10	356,544.67	40,253.12		90,157.31	396,797.79	
Total	\$5,940,862.88	\$6,755,213.37	\$5,109,641.84	\$248,629.38	\$399,700.86	\$973,142.94	\$5,771,009.15	

* 13 Months

+ Includes \$380,000 from Bond Issue for PWA projects

The increase of \$30,569.22 in the revenue of the department over that for the year 1945 derives in the main from the following:

Increase in receipts for water	\$17,000.00
Sale of railroad track and equipment	10,000.00

Payrolls increased by \$29,323.93 over those for the preceding year. \$16,433.97 of this increase was paid out as a temporary cost of living adjustment at the rate of \$200 per year per employee. The appropriation for payment of this adjustment was not made to the Water Board, but the cost thereof has been included in our accounts. The remainder of the increase in payrolls is mostly due to the employment of additional labor to install new mains and services.

General Expense increased by \$42,282.62 due in the main to the following causes:

Quittacas Station Roof Repairs	\$11,920.00
Materials for new mains and services	22,000.00
Increased cost of coal and power	2,000.00
Increased cost of other supplies	6,000.00

Repairs to the roof at Quittacas Station are completed. The work was done under contract with the Universal Roofing Company in accordance with specifications prepared by the superintendent of buildings.

The exterior painting of dwellings occupied by engineers in Freetown has been postponed until the coming Spring.

The centrifugal pump installed in 1918 at Quittacas Station has been repaired by installing a new impellor, wearing rings, and sleeves, and an overall increase in efficiency of about 13% has been effected in the performance of pump and motor.

Your attention is particularly directed to the table headed "Comparison of the consumption of the year 1946 with the record of the 65 previous years" on Page 41 of this report.

This shows that the average daily water consumption remained fairly uniform, and less than 10,000,000 gallons for the 25 year period from 1916 to 1940 inclusive except for three years when it slightly exceeded this figure.

Since 1940, however, the use of water has increased almost 50 percent, the average daily consumption for 1946 having increased to 14,250,000 gallons.

The activity and expansion of industrial and commercial uses account for almost all the increased use of water. This is shown by analysis of our meter accounts, and also by the wide difference between the water consumption on weekdays and that on Sundays and holidays. The demand on the first five days of the week now exceeds 16,000,000 gallons per day, that on Saturday being about 12,000,000 gallons, and that on Sunday about 10,000,000 gallons.

The superintendent's report states that during one hot, dry week in July, 1946, there were five consecutive days when the consumption exceeded 17,000,000 gallons and on two of these days it exceeded 18,000,000 gallons.

We anticipate a further increase in the industrial use of water, probably to the extent of about 3,000,000 gallons daily, during the coming year, and face the prospect that the average daily consumption may exceed 20,000,000 gallons during any long, dry, summer period.

The necessity for new pumping equipment was reported on pages 21 and 22 of our Report to you for the year ending December 31, 1945, as follows.

"Your Superintendent has brought to your attention during the war years, the urgent need for replacement of worn-out and obsolete equipment of various kinds, for repairs to buildings and structures, and for restoring a stock of main pipe and service materials and supplies. Provision of funds to defray the cost of these repairs and replace-

ments has been requested in the budget submitted to you and forwarded by you to the Mayor for his consideration.

The requested budget also provides for the cost of certain improvements which have been considered by you. These include the Rockdale high-pressure system, a new screen house on the old intake at the Quittacas Station, the replacement of the electrical centrifugal pump, and numerous main pipe extensions.

In addition to improvements specified in the budget request, the matter of increased pumping capacity requires consideration. Three present large users of water are engaged in construction to expand their production. Several new industries which will require large amounts of water are now being established. These facts make it appear that the demand for water during the year 1946 will be substantially larger than we have ever been called upon to furnish previously. It is recommended that the Board give its attention to a study to determine what sizes and types of prime movers and pumps will be most dependable and economical for furnishing present and future water demands.

It requires continuous and uninterrupted operation of one steam pump and the electrical pump to supply a sustained consumption of 15,000,000 gallons per day. It is not possible to depend upon continuous and uninterrupted operation of any of the three old pumps for long periods of time. Each of them absolutely must be stopped periodically for over-haul and repair. The frequency of stoppage and the length of time required for over-haul and repair increase with the age of the equipment. The two steam pumps have now been in operation for forty-six years, and the electrical pump for twenty-seven years. It is only to be expected that such old equipment should require more repairs than new equipment; and that the danger of major trouble should be greater.

It is, therefor, clearly evident that new pumping equipment should be secured as soon as possible, the size and type to be such as the Board may deem most economical and advantageous considering dependability as a primary requisite."

We are convinced that the need is now urgent, and will proceed with construction as soon as possible after funds are made available.

The flow through our distributing pipes of the large volumes of water now being used sets up friction losses which reduce the water pressure throughout the City. The pressure in our office in the Municipal Building is usually about eight pounds per square inch less during the hours between eight and twelve o'clock on weekday mornings than it is during the night.

About the same reduction in pressure is found everywhere in the city, but is particularly noticed by residents on the high ground in the vicinity of Rockdale Avenue and Hathaway Road.

The Board has recommended an issue of \$450,000 in twenty year serial bonds for these purposes.

It is proposed to secure the advice of competent engineering specialists in the design and construction of these improvements.

The Water Board also has under consideration a recommendation of the superintendent that five year serial bonds be issued in the amount of \$60,000 to permit the purchase of construction equipment and extension of new mains and services which may be required in 1947.

Ten thousand linear feet of 6" and 8" main pipe has been purchased during the past year, but the stock of meters and other materials remains much below the desirable minimum.

The board extended the lease of Purchase Street Pumping Station to Smith Bros. Brewery for a further term of five years, the annual rent having been increased from \$600 to \$1,000.00, inclusive of city taxes.

The contract with the Sharon Box Company has been extended to May 1, 1947 to permit them to complete the removal of timber felled by the 1944 hurricane. More than \$18,000 has already been received by the city under this contract.

The demand for new services and extensions of main pipe has been very heavy. Applications for one hundred and seventy-five new services have been made. These are in addition to the one hundred and fifty one individual services installed by this department to serve the tenants at the Veterans' Emergency Housing Project near the airport.

Sixteen extensions of main pipe with a total length of 3867 feet have been made to serve 23 new takers.

In this connection, the Water Board has adopted a policy of extending without charge fifty linear feet of main pipe for each new taker, and charging an annual assessment of twenty cents for a period of fifteen years for each foot of main pipe in excess of fifty feet per taker. All main pipe petitions granted this year have been constructed on this basis, except in cases where annual water bills exceed this assessment.

Several approved extensions have had to be postponed until next Spring.

It is the opinion of this Board that the purchase of modern construction equipment to permit main pipe extensions by force account will, in the long run, be the most economical and satisfactory investment.

The delivery by trucks of coal for the Quittacas Station has proven satisfactory and more economical than by rail.

Your Water Board is keenly aware of the vital and irreplaceable nature of the services rendered to the community by the department under its care and will continue to do everything within its power to secure the most dependable, the most satisfactory, and the most economical water supply it can.

It is also acquainted with and proud to report the high standard of public service rendered by the employees under its direction. The entire department is sincerely co-operative with the Board in its effort to serve the public well.

The following list of the principal contracts made by this Board during the year is indicative of the large scope of its operations:—

DATE	CONTRACTOR	SUPPLY	Consideration
1946			
January 11	John J. Gobeil Company	Liquid Chlorine	\$.07 per lb.
January 11	Sessions Gifford Co., Inc.	Anhydrous Ammonia	\$.14 per lb., net 30 days
January 14	A. P. Smith Mfg. Company	6 Tapping Sleeves	\$140.94 - 1/2% - 10 days net 30 days
January 21	Babbitt Steam Specialty Co.	Nugent Oil Filter	\$184.00 net
February 14	Acushnet Iron Co., Inc.	50 Stop Box Tops, 50 Stop Box Bottoms, 50 Stop Box Covers	\$286.50 net
February 23	Darling Valve & Mfg. Company	Gate Valves	\$453.15
March 4	Rockwell Mfg. Company	1-3" Empire Meter	\$144.00 net
March 22	Johns-Manville Sales Corp.	234'-8" Cl. 150 Transite Water Pipe 195'-6" ditto	\$1.08 per ft. 8" .80 per ft. 6"
March 26	George E. Tripp	Emergency Repair of 48" C. I. Force Main	\$506.50 net
April 1	Acushnet Iron Co., Inc.	C. I. Gate Boxes, gate box covers	\$442.86
April 1	Plumbers' Supply Company	3" & 4" Copper Tubing	\$307.40
April 5	Glennon Roofing Company	Repairs to Purchase St. Pumping Station	\$200.00
April 8	Wallace-Tiernan Co., Inc.	Parts for Chlorination	\$123.54
April 12	A. E. Coffin Press	300 Bound Copies Annual Report 75 Flat Sheets City Documents	\$239.00
April 12	Eastern Construction Company	Repair of 155 ft. Stack at Quittacas Pump. Sta.	\$1,285.00
April 15	Turbine Equipment Co. of New England	Replacement Parts for DeLaval pump #30245	\$457.00
April 20	Chas. S. Ashley & Sons, Inc.	Fire Insurance & Extended Coverage for dwelling on corner Middleboro Rd. & Negus Way	\$165.00

DATE	CONTRACTOR	SUPPLY	Consideration
1946			
May 6	Hersey Mfg. Company	Water Meters and Strainers	\$1,347.00 net
May 8	R. D. Wood Company	8" Cement lined Water Pipe	\$1.55 per ft.
		6" Cement lined Water Pipe	\$1.09 per ft.
May 9	Johns-Manville Sales Corp.	8" Class 150 Water Pipe	\$1,071 per ft.
		6" ditto	Terms 2%
			.785 per ft. 10th net
			30th
May 16	Wallace & Tiernan Co., Inc.	Chlorinator Panel	\$191.00
May 16	The Fred W. Hank Company	Nowarp Disc. for King Meters	\$104.44 net
May 23	Rockwell Mfg. Company	Repair of Water Meters,	\$136.25 net
		Meter Repair Parts	
June 7	Addressograph-Multigraph Co.	Addressograph	\$1193.95—\$15.00 frt. chg.
June 10	Hyacinth J. Saulnier	Excavation and backfill of approxi- mately 161' trench in Wilbur St.	\$1.00 per lin. ft.
June 10	Sparling Bros. Machine Co.	Labor for repair of Link-Belt Traveling Screen	Mechanics & Ma- chinists, \$2.00 hr. Welders @ 3.60 hr.
June 14	Hyacinth J. Saulnier	Excavation and backfill of approx. 155' of trench—Yates Street	\$1.00 per lin. ft.
June 18	Plumbers' Supply Company	80' of 4" Type K Soft Temper Copper Water Tubing	\$2.06 per ft.
June 21	The Homelite Corporation	2" Portable Trench Pump	\$223.02
June 28	Hyacinth J. Saulnier	Excavation and backfill of approx. 210' of trench—Beckett Street	\$1.00 per lin. ft.
July 1	The Garlock Packing Company	46 lbs. Garlock 26 Coil	\$123.35
July 2	The Homelite Corporation	3" Portable Trench Pump	\$213.98
July 8	Reynolds Printing Company	36,000 Water Bills	\$159.75

July 9	Manhattan Water Meter Repair Company	3" Meter, 4" Meter Insurance Covering Pumping Equipment	\$90.00, \$115.00
July 12	Humphrey & Covill	Various parts for King Meters	\$1036.68
July 23	N. E. Meter Repair Company	100'-3" Type K Soft Temper	\$169.87
July 23	Southeastern Supply Company	50 Stop Boxes Complete	\$121.73
July 26	Acushnet Iron Co., Inc.	Excavation and backfill of approx. 400' of trench—Padanaram Ave.	\$338.00
July 29	Hyacinth J. Saulnier	Excavation and backfill of approx. 300'—Padanaram Ave.	\$1.00 per lin. ft.
August 19	Acushnet Iron Co., Inc.	50 Stop Boxes Complete	\$1.00 per lin. ft.
August 23	Brown-Wales Company	Tubes for B & W Boiler #11204	\$338.00
August 28	The Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	Rubber facing for hydrants	\$133.62
September 7	N. B. Boiler & Mch. Co., Inc.	Labor for Installing Tubes—Quittacas Pump. Sta.	\$100.80
September 12	Universal Roofing Co.	Roof Repairs at Quittacas Pumping Station	64 hrs. @ \$2.00 per hr.
October 3	Babbitt Steam Spec. Company	Various fittings	\$11,920.00
October 7	A. P. Smith Mfg. Company	1—30"x8" Hackensack Sleeve	\$155.09
		99 lbs. Garlock 26 Coil Special Castings	\$156.45 Subject to price adjustment and agreement of party of the first part.
October 14	The Garlock Packing Company	Anhydrous Ammonia—1947	\$261.81
October 15	Acushnet Iron Co., Inc.	Liquid Chlorine for 1947	\$12 per lb.
November 8	Sessions Gifford Co.	Taps and Drills	\$14 per lb.
November 12	John J. Gobel Company		\$0.735 per lb.
November 12	Morse Twist Drill & Mch. Co.		\$164.04

DATE	CONTRACTOR	SUPPLY	Consideration
1946			
November 12	A. P. Smith Mfg. Company	1—30"x6" Hackensack Sleeve	\$147.26 Subject to price adjustment & agreement of party of the first part.
November 19	Red Hed Mfg. Company	Stops and Corporations	\$453.73
December 9	The Leadite Company	Leadite	\$100.00
December 11	Sparling Bros. Mch. Company	Labor and Stock	\$125.50
December 13	Garlock Packing Company	Garlock Pump Valves	\$131.80
December 23	Independent Pneumatic Tool Co.	Trench Diggers and Spades	\$326.92
December 28	National Lead Company	Chemical Lead Pipe and Reel	\$124.30
December 30	Hyacinth J. Saulnier	Excavation and backfill of approx. 441 line. ft.	\$330.75

CONTRACTS FOR VETERANS' EMERGENCY HOUSING

September 12	Corcoran Supply Company	Pipe and Fittings	\$1967.33
September 27	Red Hed Mfg. Company	Stops and Taps	\$361.50
September 30	Corcoran Supply Company	Copper Tubing	\$352.56
October 10	Mark E. Greenleaf	Labor and Materials	\$217.30
October 21	Corcoran Supply Company	Fittings and tubings	\$476.55
October 21	Corcoran Supply Company	Copper tubing	\$359.16
November 12	Mark E. Greenleaf	Labor and Materials	Not to exceed \$1200.00

In conclusion, we wish to express our thanks for your cooperation in the work of this department during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur N. Harriman, Mayor

Michael Zajac

Harold E. Lawton

Walter F. Slocum

Albert Simmons

New Bedford Water Board.

REPORT OF THE WATER REGISTRAR

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD,
WATER REGISTRAR'S OFFICE,
December 31, 1946

To the New Bedford Water Board:

Gentlemen:—

I herewith present to you a detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Water Works Department for the year ending December 31, 1946.

The report is based on Budget vs. Expenditures and also on Receipts and Expenditures as previously.

First, Based on the Budget System

RECEIPTS

Budget Appropriation.	\$301,718.99	
Gas Tax refunds	103.18	
Amount used 1945 Encumbrance	2,623.47	
1946 Cost Living Adjustment	16,433.97	\$320,879.61

EXPENDITURES

Payrolls	\$184,869.27	
Bills	120,808.80	
1945 Encumbrance expended	2,623.47	\$308,301.54
		12,578.07
1946 Encumbrance account		9,490.91
		3,087.16
1945 Encumbrance not expended		558.54
Un-expended balance December 31, 1946		\$3,645.70

Second, Based on receipts and expenditures as previously

RECEIPTS

Rates	
Under 10,000 cu. ft. per quarter	\$190,136.97
Over 10,000 and less than 100,000 cu. ft. per quarter	42,143.95
Over 100,000 and less than 1,000,000 cu. ft. per quarter	81,440.72
Over 1,000,000 and less than 2,000,000 cu. ft. per quarter	36,984.66
Over 2,000,000 cu. ft. per quarter	60,305.89
Estimated and building purposes	2,815.66
Total receipts for water	\$413,827.85

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Meter rentals	27,394.68
Demands and charges	863.40
Total receipts, water, meter rentals, demands and charges	\$442,085.93
Miscellaneous receipts, for detail see credits under expenses	44,869.17
Total receipts from all sources	\$486,955.10

EXPENDITURES

Bills	\$120,808.80	
Payrolls	184,869.27	
Interest	20,496.25	
Bonds	68,000.00	
1945 Encumbrance expended	2,623.47	\$396,797.79
Balance reverting to General Funds Dec. 31, 1946		\$90,157.31

EXPENDITURES IN DETAIL

Maintenance	Payments	Credits	Net
Supt. Dept. Salaries including General Foreman	\$17,603.67		\$17,603.67
Water Registrar's Dept. salaries	29,483.88		29,483.88
Printing, postage, advertising, stationery and other supplies	3,156.88	.50	3,156.38
Traveling, Telephones & Telegrams	1,609.44	49.20	1,560.24
Vacations, payroll	6,691.40		6,691.40
Totals	\$58,545.27	\$49.70	\$58,495.57

Quittacas Pumping Station

Salaries and Labor	\$36,586.69		\$36,586.69
Fuel	24,504.84	73.40	24,431.44
Oil, waste, packing and lighting	2,329.16		2,329.16
Tools and other supplies	669.51		669.51
Repairs, steam engine	1,221.45		1,221.45
Repairs, boilers	992.60		992.60
Repairs, centrifugal pump and motor	991.21		991.21
Electric current centrifugal pump	17,425.35		17,425.35
Other repairs	4,917.78		4,917.78
Building and Grounds	16,208.87		16,208.87
Miscellaneous	1,263.24		1,263.24
Water treatment	2,490.21		2,490.21
Totals	\$109,600.91	\$73.40	\$109,527.51

Lakeville Supply

Ponds including connections overflow, intakes, etc.	\$1,034.80		\$1,034.80
Motor cars and trucks	4,816.44	5.00	4,811.44
Lands	1,392.16	125.00	1,267.16
Forestry work	11,764.28	13,434.76	— 1,670.48
Roads, walls and fences	1,528.93		1,528.93
Patrol	1,781.42		1,781.42
Bldgs. other than pumping station	1,639.11	350.77	1,288.34
Railroad	188.83	9,700.00	— 9,511.17
48" Steel force main	132.02		132.02
48" Force main C.I.	1,675.82		1,675.82
High Hill reservoir	2,015.78	20.00	1,995.78
Totals	\$27,969.59	\$23,635.53	\$4,334.06

Mains

Main pipe	\$823.02		\$823.02
Stop Gates	978.63	83.70	894.93
Hydrants	1,416.14	1,087.17	328.97
Flushing and Inspecting	347.83		347.83
St. Dept. repairing streets	303.84	13.45	290.39
Totals	\$3,869.46	\$1,184.32	\$2,685.14

Services

Repairing and removing	\$5,410.66	\$1,699.38	\$3,711.28
Renewing and driving stop boxes	1,133.99	14.19	1,119.80
Cleaning stops, taps and pipe	1,939.04		1,939.04
Sealing fixtures and inspecting check valves	297.57	271.46	26.11
Shutting off and turning on	8.58		8.58
St. Dept. repairing streets	1,809.41	227.49	1,581.92
Totals	\$10,599.25	\$2,212.52	\$8,386.73

Meters	\$14,830.17	\$1,607.71	\$13,222.46
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General Maintenance

Motor cars and trucks	\$9,702.61	\$726.50	\$8,976.11
Labor at workshop	11,826.17		11,826.17
Tools	6,331.13	606.75	5,724.38
Fuel, lighting and power at workshop	1,170.48		1,170.48
Repair, workshop, bldgs. and pipeyard	1,741.58		1,741.58
Standpipe	95.82		95.82
Miscellaneous	231.86		231.86
Totals	\$31,099.65	\$1,333.25	\$29,766.40

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Acushnet Supply			
Storing reservoir, surroundings and Dry Swamp ditch	\$1,158.69		\$1,158.69
Receiving reservoir, pumpwell and Purchase St. Station	209.79	200.00	9.79
Mt. Pleasant distributing reservoir	362.66	10.00	352.66
Totals	\$1,731.14	\$210.00	\$1,521.14
Industrial Accident Account			
Taxes and Insurance	\$279.11		\$279.11
Sick Leave	5,445.10	652.09	4,793.01
	4,078.77		4,078.77
Water debt (not included in budget)			
Interest	20,496.25		20,496.25
Bonds	68,000.00		68,000.00
Totals	\$88,496.25		\$88,496.25

EXTENSIONS

Mains			
Main pipe and special castings	\$15,947.64	\$2,701.31	\$13,246.33
Stop Gates	1,200.30	478.43	721.87
Hydrants	620.58	82.50	538.08
Lead and Gasket	105.80	215.15	— 109.35
Freight	12.10		12.10
All other supplies	45.06		45.06
Labor	6,363.28		6,363.28
St. Dept. repairing streets	989.70		989.70
Totals	\$25,284.46	\$3,477.39	\$21,807.07
Services			
Pipe	\$3,812.90	\$3,133.43	\$679.47
Taps and Stops	1,505.28	686.36	818.92
All other supplies	694.00	696.14	— 2.14
Labor	4,726.22	3,336.99	1,389.23
St. Dept. repairing streets	1,376.70	1,559.73	— 183.03
Totals	\$12,115.10	\$9,412.65	\$2,702.45
Meters			
Cost of Meters	\$2,482.26	\$793.00	\$1,689.26
Cost of testing and setting	127.88		127.88
	\$2,610.14	\$793.00	\$1,817.14
Mill piping	243.42	227.61	15.81

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES AND CREDITS

Management and Repairs			
Salaries, office supplies, traveling			
telephones and telegrams	\$58,545.27	\$49.70	\$58,495.57
Quittacas pumping station	109,600.91	73.40	109,527.51
Lakeville Supply	27,969.59	23,635.53	4,334.06
Mains	3,869.46	1,184.32	2,685.14
Services	10,599.25	2,212.52	8,386.73
Meters	14,830.17	1,607.71	13,222.46
General Maintenance	31,099.65	1,333.25	29,766.40
Acushnet Supply	1,731.14	210.00	1,521.14
Industrial Accident Account	279.11		279.11
Taxes and Insurance	5,445.10	652.09	4,793.01
Sick Leave	4,078.77		4,078.77
Totals	\$268,048.42	\$30,958.52	\$237,089.90
Water Debt	88,496.25		88,496.25
Totals	\$356,544.67	\$30,958.52	\$325,586.15
Extensions			
Mains	\$25,284.46	\$3,477.39	\$21,807.07
Services	12,115.10	9,412.65	2,702.45
Meters	2,610.14	793.00	1,817.14
Mill piping	243.42	227.61	15.81
	\$40,253.12	\$13,910.65	\$26,342.47
Extensions	\$40,253.12	\$13,910.65	\$26,342.47
Management and Repairs	268,048.42	30,958.52	237,089.90
Water Debt	88,496.25		88,496.25
	\$396,797.79	\$44,869.17	\$351,928.62
Water Receipts 1946			\$413,827.85
Water Receipts 1945			397,168.59
Increase			\$16,659.26
Received from City Depts.			
Water			\$6,252.30
Miscellaneous			378.85
Total			\$6,631.15
Due on Outstanding Bills			
Water			\$2,684.98
Miscellaneous			4,449.62
Total			\$7,134.60

ADDITIONAL SUPPLY ACTS OF 1924 CHAPTER 400

There have been no transactions on this account

the balance remains the same viz: \$1,688.82

EXPENDITURES FROM THE BEGINNING
OF THE WORKS

	Payments	Credits	Net
Acushnet Supply			
Dry Swamp Ditch & Lands	\$23,503.76		\$23,503.76
Acushnet storing reservoir	61,470.71		61,470.71
White Homestead and lands	18,845.24		18,845.24
Dam at storing reservoir	4,000.00		4,000.00
Conduit, lands, construction and Wheldon Mill property	205,391.80	\$592.50	204,799.30
Purchase St. receiving reservoir	31,959.47		31,959.47
Pumpwell and culvert	16,561.41		16,561.41
Engine house and lot Purchase St.	17,152.89		17,152.89
Engine house and coal shed	100,771.51		100,771.51
Engines, Purchase St.	81,234.47		81,234.47
Stand pipe, Mt. Pleasant	6,109.93		6,109.93
Mt. Pleasant distributing reservoir	65,292.66	2,209.76	63,082.90
Totals	\$632,293.85	\$2,802.26	\$629,491.59
Quittacas Supply			
Lands around ponds	\$160,293.47		\$160,293.47
Dam at Pocksha pond	26,020.70		26,020.70
Quittacas pumping station, pumpwell, engines, intakes, gatehouse and connection between Quittacas ponds	372,672.73		372,672.73
Second intake	212,618.87		212,618.87
Buildings other than pumping station	19,345.99		19,345.99
Telephone lines	2,168.64		2,168.64
Railroad locomotive and cars	73,631.64		73,631.64
48" Steel force main, power gate and lands	382,367.32		382,367.32
Relining 48" Steel force main	144,732.69		144,732.69
Second Force Main	839,317.35		839,317.35
High Hill Reservoir	181,405.06		181,405.06
Totals	\$2,414,574.46		\$2,414,574.46
Additional Supply from Pocksha and Assawompsett Ponds			
Miscellaneous Expense	\$548.33		\$548.33
Land and buildings	126,785.52	4,827.04	112,958.48
Venturi Meter chamber	34,030.66	99.81	33,930.85
Nemasket River damages	35,663.52		35,663.52
Settlement of suits for taking rights at Long Pond	16,210.00		16,210.00
Totals	\$213,238.03	\$4,926.85	\$208,311.18

	Payments	Credits	Net
Distribution, Etc.			
Mains, Services, Hydrants and Mill Piping	\$4,761,082.41	\$1,138,444.17	\$3,622,638.24
Workshop, Pipeyard and Garage	127,205.40	1,001.25	126,204.15
Old Workshop and Land No. Water St.	6,498.75	6,498.75	.....
Management and Repairs	7,951,229.73	358,643.10	7,592,586.63
Totals	\$12,846,016.29	\$1,504,587.27	\$11,341,429.02

*Water Debt			
Interest	\$2,751,956.64	\$53,564.41	\$2,698,392.23
Bonds	2,429,000.00	92,408.90	2,336,591.10
Sinking Funds	751,732.00		751,732.00
Totals	\$5,932,688.64	\$145,973.31	\$5,786,715.33

*Including amount paid by City Treasurer since 1931 without passing thru Water Works Budget viz:			
Interest			\$688,756.25
Bonds			1,274,000.00
Total			\$1,962,756.25

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES FROM BEGINNING OF WORKS

Acushnet Supply	\$632,293.85	\$2,802.26	\$629,491.59
Quittacas Supply	2,414,574.46		2,414,574.46
Pocksha & Assawompsett	213,238.03	4,926.85	208,311.18
Distribution, Etc.	12,846,016.29	1,504,587.27	11,341,429.02
Total	\$16,106,122.63	\$1,512,316.38	\$14,593,806.25
Public Debt	5,932,688.64	145,973.31	5,786,715.33
Outlay	\$22,038,811.27	\$1,658,289.69	\$20,380,521.58

The receipts from the beginning of the works have been as follows:

Appropriation by City Council 1888 & previous	\$1,038,000.00
Further Supply	1,316,639.60
Duplicate Supply 1910	250,836.65
Special Extensions 1911	151,391.78
Special Extensions 1912	161,019.78
48" C. I. Force Main 1921 & 1930	900,246.14
Second Intake	350,493.15
Additional Supply 1924	213,238.03
Second Force Main	223,693.01
Relining 48" Steel Force Main	144,732.69
Receipts from Water	16,676,854.08
Receipts from other sources	1,653,362.84
Total	\$23,080,507.75

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Less returned to General City Funds		
1914 to 1940 inclusive	\$396,906.97	
1941	100,215.19	
1942	103,276.87	
1943	116,971.45	
1944	107,046.50	
1945	127,122.19	
1946	90,157.31	\$1,041,696.48

	\$22,038,811.27
Deduct total outlay	22,038,811.27

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	Payments	Credits	Net
Outlay		\$22,038,811.27	
Less Credits		1,658,289.69	20,380,521.58
Management & Repairs	\$7,951,229.73		
Less Credits	358,643.10	7,592,586.63	
Interest	2,751,956.64		
Less Credits	53,564.41	2,698,392.23	
Bonds	2,429,000.00		
Less Credits	92,408.90	2,336,591.10	
Sinking Funds	751,732.00	751,732.00	13,379,301.96

Cost of Works		\$7,001,219.62
Water Receipts		16,676,854.08
Less Management & Repair	7,592,586.63	
Debt, Interest & Sinking Fund	5,786,715.33	
Returned to General Funds thru 1946	1,041,696.48	14,420,998.44

Net receipts applied to construction	\$2,255,855.64
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The funds for the construction of these works have been derived from the following sources:

Investment of S. A. Howland bequest	\$100,000.00
S. A. Howland Educational bequest	100,000.00
Received from sale of Bonds 1888 & previous	815,000.00
Appropriation for construction 1885	23,000.00
Net receipts applied to construction	2,255,855.64
Net receipts further supply bonds 1894-7	1,316,639.60
Net receipts Duplicate supply bonds 1910	250,836.65
Net receipts Special extensions 1911	151,391.78
Net receipts Special extensions 1912	161,019.78
Net receipts 48" C. I. Force Main Bonds 1921 & 1930	900,246.14
Net receipts 2nd Intake bonds 1923	350,493.15
Amount used additional supply bonds 1924	208,311.18
Amount used 2nd Force Main Bonds 1934	66,717.51
Federal Grant P.W.A.	156,975.50
Amount used relining Steel Force Main Bonds 1934	57,631.49
Federal Grant P.W.A.	87,101.20

Net cost of works	\$7,001,219.62
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Respectfully submitted

WENDELL M. HARDY,
Water Registrar

WATER REPORT

The water debt at this date is as follows:

Under annual payments	When issued	Amount issued	Rate	Annual payments	Amount due
48" C. I. Force Main Chap. 232 Acts 1921	May 1, 1921	500,000.00	5¼%	1922 to 1941 17,000.00 1942 to 1951 16,000.00	\$80,000.00
48" C. I. Force Main Chap. 232 Acts 1921	Nov. 1, 1921	200,000.00	4¾%	1922 to 1941 7,000.00 1942 to 1951 6,000.00	30,000.00
2nd Intake Little Quittacas Chap. 65 Acts 1923	Apr. 1, 1923	200,000.00	4%	1924 to 1943 7,000.00 1944 to 1953 6,000.00	42,000.00
2nd Intake Little Quittacas Chap. 65 Acts 1923	Mar. 1, 1924	150,000.00	4¼%	5,000.00	40,000.00
Additional Supply Chap. 400 Acts 1924	Nov. 1, 1926	150,000.00	4%	5,000.00	50,000.00
Additional Supply Chap. 400 Acts 1924	Feb. 1, 1927	60,000.00	4%	2,000.00	22,000.00
Second Force Main 1930	Apr. 1, 1930	200,000.00	4%	8,000.00	72,000.00
Second Force Main 1934	Jan. 1, 1934	380,000.00	4%	1935 to 1938 30,000.00 1939 to 1951 20,000.00	100,000.00
					<u>\$436,000.00</u>

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

NEW BEDFORD WATER WORKS,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

December 31, 1946

To the New Bedford Water Board:

Gentlemen:—The annual report of the superintendent on general conditions of the works and operations for the year, and his recommendations for the future, are respectfully submitted.

The report of the water registrar, the rainfall records, chemical analyses, and the usual tables showing in detail the work of the department for the year, are incorporated.

FINANCIAL

Total receipts from the year's operations were \$486,955.10, showing an increase of \$30,569.22 over those for the previous year.

Total expenditures from appropriations for 1946, including \$16,433.97 for cost-of-living adjustment payments to employees of this department, amounted to \$305,678.07, and exceeded those for the previous year in the amount of \$71,510.72.

Encumbrances totalling \$9,490.91 have been set aside for payment for goods ordered in 1946 but not yet delivered, leaving an unexpended balance of \$3,087.16 from total appropriations of \$318,152.96.

Cost of coal and electric current for pumping exceeded that for 1945 in the amount of \$3,408.54.

The surplus of all revenue over all expenditures for the year amounts to \$90,157.31.

The accumulated surplus since 1934 amounts to \$973,142.94.

The bonded water debt outstanding amounts to \$436,000.00.

If twenty-year serial bonds to the value of \$450,000 and five year serial bonds to the value of \$60,000 are issued in 1947, the total annual repayments of principal will be \$102,500 and interest payments will not exceed \$33,000 for the next five years. After that period, due to complete retirement of bond issues of 1921 and 1934, total annual principal and interest payments will be reduced by one-half.

A review of the foregoing financial picture shows that the accumulated surplus revenue of the department for the past twelve years has been sufficient to entirely extinguish the bonded debt now outstanding and also provide the capital for proposed necessary plant improvements. The only reason why it is now necessary to issue bonds is the diversion of this surplus to purposes other than water supply.

CONSUMPTION

The actual records of consumption for 1946 bear out the forecast made by your superintendent in his last annual report. The total consumption exceeded that for the previous year by more than seven percent. The average daily consumption for the months of July, August, and October exceeded 15,000,000 gallons. For the third week of July, the average daily consumption was 16,280,520 gallons, three days exceeded 17,000,000 gallons, and two days exceeded 18,000,000 gallons. The highest demand in any day occurred on Tuesday, July 30th, when 19,294,446 gallons were used.

By way of contrast, the smallest daily consumption, 7,998,710 gallons, occurred on Christmas Day, and compares with the 8,035,060 gallons used on the preceding Christmas.

The present daily average is about 15,000,000 gallons, and it now appears reasonable to anticipate daily averages of about 17,000,000 gallons in the spring and possibly 20,000,000 gallons during any hot and dry summer periods.

This prospect, coupled with the limited capacity and advanced age of all our present pumping equipment, and particularly the uncertain condition and dependability of the two antiquated horizontal boilers, requires immediate action to secure and install additional pumping capacity with the least possible delay.

In this connection, you are respectfully referred to the recommendation contained in my annual report to you for 1945.

This condition is now critical.

RAINFALL

The rainfall at Little Quittacas Station for the year was 47.79 inches. This is 5.84 inches less than last year, and 2.44 inches more than the average for the past fifty-two years at this station.

The month of August, when 15.64 inches of rain were recorded, is the wettest month in this record of fifty-two years, and is believed to be the wettest in this area for more than 100 years.

POND ELEVATIONS

The water level in Great Quittacas Pond has ranged between 52.00 and 49.54. The average elevation for the year was 50.69. The present elevation is 50.18.

The elevation of Pocksha Pond has ranged from 51.95 to 49.73. The average elevation for the year was 50.63. The present elevation is 50.11.

The water level in Little Quittacas Pond, which is controlled by a gate in the connection to Great Quittacas Pond, has been kept somewhat lower than that of Great Quittacas Pond, in accordance with the practice of many years, to improve the taste, color and odor, through better drainage of the swamp located north of Little Quittacas Pond. The average elevation for the year was 47.89. The present elevation is 48.42.

FORESTRY

More than two million board feet of timber felled by the 1944 hurricane has now been removed and paid for by the Sharon Box Company. Total receipts from this contract exceed \$18,000.00. The contract has been extended to May 1st, 1947, because there are still areas which have not yet been cleared of fallen trees.

A "Case" rubber-tired tractor was purchased and delivered during the year. It was found, however, that rubber tires do not afford sufficient traction to plow or harrow the shores of the ponds or the fire lanes, and the tractor was returned to the dealer without cost to the city. It is recommended that a 40 H. P. tractor with grouser-type treads be secured as soon as possible for this work.

The cranberry crop was sold to the highest bidder for \$125.00.

WATERSHED PROPERTY

The small frame cottage purchased a few years ago from Clark et al. was turned over to the City Council. It was sold at public auction under their direction for \$325.00.

The bungalow formerly occupied under life lease by Mrs. Lumina Allen was vacated during the year, following her death. It is being held for possible tenancy by an employee at the Pumping Station.

The dwellings occupied by Mr. Burgess and Mr. Ward are very badly in need of exterior painting. This work has been postponed for three years and must be done this coming spring.

The fire patrol was maintained as usual during the dry periods of the year and put out several small fires before they could spread into the watershed forest.

QUITTACAS PUMPING STATION

Repairs to the roof and boiler room sash have been completed.

An agreement has been made with the New Bedford Gas and Edison Light Company under which they will install, without cost to the city, a new electric high-tension service from the Middleboro Road to a point near the Pumping Station.

Cables in underground conduit from the transformers into the building and some wiring changes inside the building are estimated to cost about \$1500, to be borne by the city.

For the first time since the two Scotch marine type boilers were put into service, one in 1899 and the other in 1901, replacement of tubes was required. Several new tubes were put in each boiler. Inspection of these boilers by the engineer of the American Motorists Insurance Company shows that all of the tubes were found to be thin near the heads.

The insurer has made the following recommendation:

"The condition of these tubes is such that leakage may be expected at any time in the near future, but in our opinion the cost of retubing these boilers is not warranted due to the fact that they are almost 50 years of age and a drastic cut in the maximum pressure allowed must be ex-

pected at some time in the near future. We strongly urge that serious consideration be given towards the replacement of both boilers with new ones of modern construction and design."

This recommendation is to be weighed with other considerations in the design of the new equipment.

The recent soft coal strike and the possibility of similar interruptions in the coal supply point sharply to the desirability of having in storage at our Pumping Station enough fuel to ensure six months of operation, and of having alternative sources of power.

WATER TREATMENT

All water pumped during the year was sterilized through the addition of small amounts of liquid chlorine and anhydrous ammonia. No complaints of taste or odor ascribable to this treatment have been received.

In this connection, however, it must be admitted that the color of our water does not compare favorably with that furnished by cities which filter their supplies. Filtration would remove moss, sponge, and certain other marine growths which are largely responsible for the yellow tinge in our water. It is an open question whether the cost of installing and operating filters would be justified by the improvement which might be effected, however. More information on costs and benefits will be secured during the coming year.

WATER ANALYSIS

Bacteriological analyses of 44 samples of water from the distribution system were made by Mr. Landreville of the New Bedford Health Department prior to March 2, 1946. They showed that the water furnished in the city continued to be of excellent quality. Bacteriological anal-

yses of samples taken from the area north of Little Quittacas Pond during the late winter showed, however, that sanitary conditions were unsatisfactory in this area.

Joint action by this department, the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, and the Board of Health and Selectmen of Lakeville, was taken to secure improvement through relocating the quarters of animals and poultry and burning over contaminated ground.

Although no subsequent bacteriological analyses have been available from the New Bedford Board of Health, because of lack of appropriation therefor, it is believed that sanitary conditions are now satisfactory in this area.

Arrangements are to be made so that the regular bacteriological analyses of water samples may be resumed in 1947.

INSPECTION OF WATER PIPING

The position of water piping inspector was not filled after the retirement of Mr. James F. Murphy. The Water Board and the New Bedford Board of Health are agreed that the supervision and inspection of water piping may be combined advantageously with that of plumbing, which is conducted by the Board of Health. The City Solicitor is now preparing an ordinance to transfer the responsibility for supervision of water piping installations on private premises from the Water Board to the Board of Health.

FORCE MAINS

A length of 48" cast iron in the second force main, at a point beside Dry Swamp Ditch, ruptured in March. The resulting large leakage of water washed away the embankment and filled Dry Swamp Ditch with gravel. The pipe was found to be cracked longitudinally on the bottom for nearly its full length. Repairs were made promptly, without

interruption of supply to the city. Equipment to remove the cracked pipe and replace it with a new length weighing about four tons was hired under an emergency contract with Mr. George E. Tripp.

The 48" valve which was installed in 1898 in the old steel force main at Beaver Dam is believed to be inoperable. An automatic electrical gate-operating device which was installed many years ago has never given satisfactory service and is beyond repair. It is recommended that a new cone-type valve as manufactured by the Chapman Valve Company or equal, be installed in place of the old horizontal gate valve.

RAILROAD

Sealed bids were solicited early in the year for the railroad rails, switches, ties, accessories, bridge and trestle at Quittacas Station, and the old "Milwaukee" gasoline locomotive. They were sold to Mr. George Horton of Taunton, high bidder, for \$9,700.00.

Delivery of coal by truck has proven satisfactory, and more economical than by rail.

OLD ACUSHNET SYSTEM

106,580,000 gallons of water were furnished during the year to the Revere Copper and Brass Co., Inc. The total revenue for this volume was \$2,664.57.

A break in a 16" cast iron pipe in the connections to the old Purchase Street Pumping Station during December caused the washing away of three hundred feet of sidewalk and flooded several cellars.

Because much of the piping in the Pumping Station yard and in the adjoining school yards is more than 75 years old and can be relieved of pressure without detriment to the present distribution system, it is recommended that the large mains entering this property be cut and plugged during the coming year.

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

Our water distributing system now contains 216 miles of main pipe from 4" to 48" in diameter, 2 miles of main pipe smaller than 4" in diameter, 150 miles of service piping, and almost 20,000 service connections. Approximately one half of this installation is more than fifty years old, and two-thirds is more than thirty years old.

During the years a relatively small portion of the smaller cast iron mains (2", 3", 4" and 6") have been replaced with new and larger cast iron pipe. About 25 miles of 6" cast iron pipe is now believed to be reduced to 4 inch or small effective diameter through the progressive growth of tubercles. This reduction in area gives rise to complaints of poor pressure and dirty water from consumers connected with these old, clogged pipes, and substantially lessens the rate of flow of water to hydrants supplied by them.

It is possible to clean such pipes in place at a cost of approximately \$2,000.00 per mile. It is recommended that about five miles be cleaned this year.

Experience has shown that additional control valves are required at certain locations. Two valves should be installed in the 48" cast iron main between Beaver Dam and the New Bedford-Freetown line. One valve is needed in the 36" cast iron line in Mt. Pleasant Street near Nash Road. Two additional valves are needed in the 12" cast iron main in Cove Street, near the Hathaway and Naushon Mills.

It is recommended that all valves larger than 12" hereafter installed be of the cone-type. It has been found virtually impossible to operate the large-sized gate valves, particularly when there is pressure on only one side. It is believed that the cone-type valve, while more expensive, is worth the difference due to greater dependability and ease of operation.

The toll of hydrants broken by motor vehicles continues very high. A few hydrants designed to break in a predetermined way and more easily repairable have been purchased and will be used as replacements when feasible.

It is hoped that location of new hydrants at greater distances from intersections may reduce the frequency of damage.

Thirty-one hydrants have been damaged as a result of traffic accidents. The total cost of repairs was \$1,837.42, of which \$1,011.92 has been collected.

LEAKS

There have been twenty leaks on main pipe during the year, as herewith shown:

Date	Size	Location	Cause	Cost
1946				
Jan. 3	6"	Hickory St., 18' W. x Dartmouth St.	Joint leaking	\$40.20
5	6"	No. Second St., 50' S. x Maxfield St.	2 Joints leaking	63.64
11	8"	Rivet St., 35' E. x So. Water St.	Joint leaking	32.84
16	8"	Weld St., 35' W. x Ashley Blvd.	Joint leaking	53.75
Feb. 25	4"	School St., W. line x Front St.	Cracked pipe	146.20
Mar. 14	48"	Force Main, near Dry Swamp Ditch	Cracked pipe	1,403.73
Apr. 15	8"	Front St., N. line x Commercial St.	Cracked pipe	95.32
24	6"	David St., S. W. Cor. Cleveland St.	Joint leaking	62.78
30	48"	Middleboro Rd., near Beaver Dam	Joint leaking	426.52
June 26	10"	Orchard St., 50' S. x Swift St.	Joint leaking	38.97
July 5	6"	Austin St., E. line x Summer St.	Wooden plug rotted	35.78
Aug. 5	8"	Maxfield St., Intersection x Liberty	Main leak	80.93
16		Page St., between Taber and Moreland Terrace	Service broken off bet. main and tap	77.49
Nov. 21	6"	In front x 170 Blackmer St.	Joint leaking	25.38
27	6"	Seneca St., S. E. Cor. Acushnet Ave.	Joint leaking	33.76
Dec. 4	6"	Liberty St., at hydrant 101.6' N. x Smith St.	Joint leaking	42.76
10	6"	No. Second St., Intersection x North	Main leak	85.51
15	16"	N. E. Cor. Knowlton School Yard, Cor. Coggeshall and Purchase Sts.	Main leak	280.80
26	6"	In front x 39 Keene St.	Main leak	51.91
31	8"	Howland St., 20' Way E. x Prospect St. 405'	Main leak	86.87

289 feet of distribution pipe (less than 4") have been laid. The total length now in use is 10,725 feet.

Seven new stop gates have been set and none of those previously set has been removed. The total number now in use is 2,966.

Two small size gates have been set and none of those previously set has been removed. The total number now in use is 92.

Total number of waste gates now in use is 207.

Total number of air taps now in use is 218.

Twenty-two private gates have been set and none of those previously set has been removed. The total number now in use is 801.

Six new hydrants have been set and none of those previously set has been removed. The total now in use is 1,927.

The total number of water cart hydrants now in use is 29.

The total number of sprinkler cart hydrants now in use is 8.

One hundred thirty-four service pipes have been laid and two of those previously laid have been removed. The total number now in place is 19,896. Of this number, two hundred ninety-four are unmetered fire services, seventeen thousand six hundred ten are metered, and the balance, one thousand nine hundred ninety-two are not in use.

Eight hundred forty-seven taps have been cleaned as follows:

Rust 595; trouble inside 52.

One hundred sixty-six leaks in services have been repaired in addition to main pipe leaks.

One thousand six hundred thirteen meters have been removed for repairs, and one thousand five hundred ninety-four have been reset. Also eighty-seven new meters have been set for the year, making the total number now in use 17,610.

CONSUMPTION OF WATER

The consumption of water for the year has been as follows:

Month	Monthly Consumption				Daily Average Consumption
	New Bedford	Dartmouth	Acushnet	Total	
	Gallons	Gallons	Gallons	Gallons	
1946					
January	405,613,776	6,764,250	5,901,750	418,279,776	13,492,896
February	353,321,826	9,240,000	4,025,250	366,587,076	13,092,396
March	411,407,380	7,069,500	4,185,750	422,662,630	13,634,279
April	398,349,390	10,141,500	8,748,750	417,239,640	13,907,988
May	415,252,350	11,206,500	6,456,000	432,914,850	13,964,995
June	421,871,712	8,252,250	4,518,750	434,642,712	14,488,090
July	444,108,772	12,985,500	9,482,250	466,576,522	15,050,855
August	445,006,194	14,202,750	9,498,750	468,707,694	15,119,603
September	427,347,282	10,526,250	5,564,250	443,437,782	14,781,259
October	442,077,784	11,271,000	12,584,250	465,933,034	15,030,098
November	406,376,294	9,510,000	8,373,000	424,259,294	14,141,976
December	422,577,592	9,898,500	5,491,500	437,967,592	14,127,987
Totals	4,993,310,352	121,068,000	84,830,250	5,199,208,602	
Averages				433,267,384	14,244,407

Maximum daily consumption—(24 hrs.) Tues., July 30..... 19,294,446

Minimum daily consumption—(24 hrs.) Wed., Dec. 25..... 7,998,710

Average daily consumption—6 A.M. to 6 P.M..... 8,494,753

Average night consumption—6 P.M. to 6 A.M..... 5,749,654

Amount of water consumed shown on above table includes the supplying of about 59.26 miles of distribution pipes located in the adjoining towns of Dartmouth and Acushnet. Dartmouth supplies 7172 consumers, of which 295 are summer residents, through 1856 taps. Acushnet supplies 3138 consumers through 671 taps.

COMPARISON OF THE CONSUMPTION OF THE YEAR 1946 WITH THE
RECORD OF THE 65 PREVIOUS YEARS.

Year	Estimated Population	Estimated number of consumers	Number of taps	Total number of gallons consumed	Average daily consumption	Gallons per day to each inhabitant	Gallons per day to each consumer	Gallons per day to each tap	Number of meters
1882	28,500	20,424	4,203	859,119,622	2,326,352	82	114	553	41
1883	30,000	22,249	4,465	849,059,700	2,326,191	78	105	521	49
1884	33,000	23,749	4,691	867,815,595	2,371,680	72	100	506	60
1885	33,700	25,375	4,965	1,049,801,050	2,876,167	85	113	579	67
1886	34,500	28,480	5,225	1,086,534,615	2,976,807	86	104	569	82
1887	36,000	30,080	5,495	1,112,302,789	3,047,404	85	101	555	102
1888	37,500	31,826	5,785	1,229,841,794	3,360,223	89	109	581	108
1889	40,000	34,000	6,104	1,310,488,214	3,590,379	90	106	588	120
1890	41,500	35,740	6,394	1,435,143,213	4,066,200	98	114	636	123
1891	45,000	38,500	6,742	1,513,161,482	4,145,648	92	108	615	135
1892	50,000	41,776	7,134	1,607,955,166	4,393,320	88	105	616	144
1893	55,000	44,158	7,531	1,824,275,536	4,998,015	99	113	664	172
1894	56,000	44,661	7,767	1,747,167,532	4,786,760	85	107	616	221
1895	56,300	46,154	8,027	1,719,830,979	4,711,866	84	102	587	254
1896	59,000	48,570	8,447	1,924,800,313	5,259,017	89	108	623	366
1897	60,000	50,000	8,860	2,071,702,478	5,675,897	95	113	641	621
1898	58,000	50,000	9,014	2,156,277,643	5,907,610	102	118	655	734
1899	58,000	50,000	9,151	2,261,115,500	6,194,837	107	124	677	1,098
1900	62,500	55,000	9,280	2,306,997,774	6,320,542	101	115	681	1,429
1901	65,000	57,000	9,447	2,150,199,262	5,890,957	91	103	624	1,566
1902	70,000	61,000	9,612	2,325,807,038	6,372,074	91	104	663	1,771
1903	72,000	62,000	9,927	2,535,280,580	6,945,974	96	112	700	1,954
1904	73,000	63,000	10,166	2,570,360,614	7,001,520	96	111	689	2,145
1905	75,000	66,000	10,477	2,586,640,683	7,093,187	95	107	677	2,434
1906	83,000	76,000	10,764	2,524,786,872	6,916,880	83	91	643	2,803
1907	88,000	81,000	11,107	2,711,824,444	7,435,572	84	91	670	3,196
1908	89,000	82,000	11,516	2,740,666,728	7,488,160	84	91	653	3,628
1909	95,000	88,000	12,043	2,727,327,230	7,472,129	79	85	621	4,572
1910	99,000	92,000	12,769	2,870,478,148	7,864,323	79	85	616	6,106
1911	102,700	96,000	13,311	2,910,369,438	7,973,615	78	83	599	8,206
1912	103,000	97,000	13,643	3,030,739,034	8,280,707	80	85	607	9,998
1913	104,000	99,000	14,055	2,832,828,204	7,761,173	75	78	552	12,340
1914	108,000	103,000	14,407	2,712,726,402	7,432,127	69	72	516	13,788
1915	110,000	107,000	14,770	2,791,655,778	7,648,372	70	71	518	14,140
1916	113,000	*111,120	*15,350	*3,122,164,926	*8,530,505	*75	*77	*556	14,481
1917	115,000	*113,485	*15,590	*3,390,054,126	*9,287,819	*81	*82	*596	14,728
1918	119,500	*118,140	*15,704	*3,562,182,920	*9,759,405	*82	*83	*621	14,852
1919	122,000	*123,290	*16,020	*3,522,543,626	*9,650,557	*78	*78	*602	15,019
1920	*131,350	*130,350	*16,546	*3,724,480,204	*10,204,055	*78	*78	*617	15,316
1921	*133,818	*133,085	*17,062	*3,454,210,228	*9,463,589	*71	*71	*554	15,659
1922	*135,775	*135,075	*18,040	*3,939,120,548	*10,792,111	*71	*80	*598	16,194
1923	*141,707	*140,950	*19,027	*3,663,170,860	*10,967,577	*77	*78	*576	16,870
1924	*145,000	*144,300	*19,802	*3,558,938,246	*9,750,515	*67	*68	*492	17,120

COMPARISON OF THE CONSUMPTION OF THE YEAR 1946 WITH THE
RECORD OF THE 65 PREVIOUS YEARS.

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Year	Estimated Population	Estimated number of consumers	Number of taps	Total number of gallons consumed	Average daily consumption	Gallons per day to each inhabitant	Gallons per day to each consumer	Gallons per day to each tap	Number of meters
1925	*146,800	*146,100	*20,477	*3,456,787,024	*9,470,649	*65	*65	*462	17,569
1926	*140,400	*139,500	*20,703	*3,331,226,040	*9,126,646	*65	*65	*445	17,971
1927	*134,425	*133,525	*20,886	*3,284,861,320	*8,999,620	*67	*67	*431	18,063
1928	*128,327	*127,427	*20,979	*2,998,413,409	*8,214,332	*64	*64	*392	18,086
1929	*122,623	*121,823	*21,083	*3,563,884,895	*9,764,068	*80	*80	*463	17,832
1930	*123,064	*122,264	*21,220	*3,636,305,070	*9,962,480	*81	*81	*469	17,736
1931	*121,899	*121,089	*21,288	*3,568,662,195	*9,777,156	*80	*81	*454	17,632
1932	*120,992	*120,192	*21,338	*3,280,516,320	*8,963,159	*74	*75	*420	17,521
1933	*120,541	*119,741	*21,364	*3,365,629,920	*9,220,903	*76	*77	*432	17,381
1934	*120,676	*119,876	*21,433	*3,406,767,851	*9,333,610	*77	*78	*435	17,429
1935	*120,717	*119,917	*21,464	†*3,740,174,940	*9,444,886	*78	*79	*440	17,334
1936	*120,668	*119,868	*21,497	*3,569,684,360	*9,753,235	*81	*81	*454	17,365
1937	*122,125	*121,525	*21,559	*3,571,784,790	*9,785,712	*80	*81	*454	17,386
1938	*122,673	*122,000	*21,614	*3,254,281,340	*8,915,839	*73	*73	*413	17,339
1939	*122,722	*122,000	*21,705	*3,634,531,862	*9,957,622	*81	*81	*458	17,339
1940	*121,639	*121,000	*21,799	*3,479,254,098	*9,505,158	*81	*81	*436	17,359
1941	*122,131	*121,500	*21,936	*3,811,069,776	*10,434,375	*86	*85	*476	17,430
1942	*126,645	*124,500	*22,015	*4,024,371,580	*11,025,675	*87	*87	*501	17,326
1943	*129,057	*127,000	*22,072	*4,482,895,864	*12,281,906	*95	*97	*556	17,408
1944	*128,896	*127,000	*22,131	*4,974,751,802	*13,592,218	*105	*107	*614	17,419
1945	*124,115	*122,000	*22,212	*4,832,018,164	*13,238,406	*106	*108	*596	17,504
1946	*124,883	*122,000	*22,423	*5,199,208,602	*14,244,407	*114	*117	*635	17,610

*Includes population supplied in towns of Dartmouth and Acushnet 2,527 taps, 10,310 consumers.

‡This consumption is for eleven months.

†This consumption is for thirteen months.

CONSUMPTION

The average daily consumption, 14,244,407 gallons, shows an increase of 7.6% over 1945.

The excellent quality of our water for chemical processes and the extremely low average rate for takers using in excess of five million gallons per month have been important factors in the decision of several large industries to develop plants in our city.

The following table shows the number of accounts, registration, and income in the several steps of the sliding scale of rates:

DATA ON METERED CONSUMPTION AND REVENUE
JULY 1, 1945 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1946
(All active services except fire supplies are metered)

	No. of Accts.	Number of Gallons			Receipts for Metered Water		
		Total	Per Account	Per day Per Acct.	Total	Per Account	Per 1,000 gallons
Using less than minimum rate viz.—							
33,333 1/3 gals. per year	3,676	72,820,500	22,530	61	\$ 18,247.10	\$4.96	\$.25
Using over minimum rate but less							
than 75,000 gals. per quarter	13,049	1,125,680,250	86,265	236	169,198.87	12.96	.15
Using between 75,000 and							
750,000 gals. per quarter	456	300,312,000	658,578	1,804	41,825.64	91.72	.139
Using between 750,000 and							
7,500,000 gals. per quarter	103	731,088,750	7,097,949	19,446	80,110.30	777.77	.11
Using between 7,500,000 and							
15,000,000 gals. per quarter	11	382,770,000	34,797,272	95,335	34,977.70	3,179.79	.091
Using over 15,000,000 gals. per quarter	8	1,938,897,750	242,362,218	664,005	58,063.22	7,257.90	.029
Totals and Averages	17,303	4,551,569,250	260,053	712	\$402,422.83	\$23.26	\$.088
Metered consumption by Water Dept.							
		14,290,505					
		<u>4,565,859,755</u>					

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Additional pumping capacity at Quittacas Station.
2. Construction of new screen-house on old intake.
3. Improve pressures and fire protection for Rockdale Avenue area.

The need for the above improvements is now critical; but deliveries of steel plate, motors, and special machinery are so slow that it does not appear reasonable to expect completion of any of these projects until 1948. It may become necessary to devise emergency temporary remedies. No funds are available at the present time for any of the above necessary improvements.

4. Purchase of 40 H.P. crawler angle-dozer.
5. Purchase of $\frac{1}{2}$ cu.yd. mobile back-hoe.
6. Purchase of 105 c.f.m. portable air compressor.
7. Purchase of station wagon for watershed patrol.
8. Purchase of coupe to replace 1935 Chevrolet for Ch. Pumping Engineer.
9. Purchase of new 2 ton chassis and gate-operating device to replace 1932 Studebaker emergency truck.
10. Purchase of new 2 ton van to replace 1930 Studebaker.
11. Purchase of cast iron pipe for mains.
12. Purchase of lead and copper pipe for services.
13. Purchase of meters.

The issuance of five year serial bonds under authority of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 8, subsection 7, in the amount of \$60,000 has been recommended for the purchase of items 4-13 inclusive, in the superintendent's request for appropriations for 1947.

14. Painting of dwellings occupied by engineers.
15. Erection of wire fencing around Receiving Reservoir to reduce danger of children drowning.
16. Printing of gate and hydrant books.
17. Duplication of plat plans of mains and services.
18. Employment of three additional laborers at Source of Supply.
19. Employment of six additional laborers at Repair Shop.
20. Appointment of two Water Construction Foremen at Repair Shop.
21. Appointment of two Working Foremen at Repair Shop.
22. Promotion of three laborers-motor equipment operators in city.
23. Installation of new high tension electric service at Quittacas.
24. Thorough flushing of entire distribution system twice yearly.
25. Thorough cleaning of bottom of High Hill Reservoir.
26. Installation of new valves in distribution system.
27. Isolation of old piping at Purchase St. Station.
28. Relocation of certain hydrants frequently broken.
29. Grading of Padanaram Avenue so that services may be extended to sixteen new takers.
30. Plowing and harrowing fire lanes on watershed.
31. Weeding and harrowing shores of reservoir ponds.

32. Clearing ditches on watershed.
33. Planting 2000 spruce on 2 acres of watershed.
34. Planting 10,000 white pine and 10,000 red pine transplants.
35. Increasing Step V from 10c to 15c per 1000 c. f.
36. Cleaning five miles of 4" and 6" main pipe.
37. Training of apprentice-machinist under G.I. Bill.
38. Study advisability of filtration.
39. Reinforce pipe railing, Negus Way, east of station.

The Superintendent wishes to express to the Mayor, the Water Board, and the members of the City Government, his appreciation for their assistance during the year; and to the employees of the Water Department, to repeat his gratitude, for their continued high quality of public service.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD C. MANDELL,

Superintendent

TABLE A
GREAT QUITTACAS POND
WATER ANALYSIS—STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
PARTS PER MILLION

Number	Date of		APPEARANCE		RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION			AMMONIA			Chlorides		Nitrogen as		Oxygen Consumed	Hardness	Fe.	Alk.	Mn.	pH			
	Collection	Receipt	Turbidity	Sediment	Color	Total	Loss on Ignition	Fixed	Free	Albuminoid		In sus- tion	In sus- pension	Nitrates							Nitrites		
										Total	In solu- tion												
350616	Feb.	7	8	1	42				.012	.112				.09		11	.12	9		5.6			
351399	Apr.	2	5	2	42				.016	.128				.10		11	.10	7		6.4			
353591	July	10	2		47				.006	.156				.10		6	.05	9		6.5			
355229	Sept.	16	3		47				.002	.070				.08		10	.10	9		6.3			
356724	Nov.	8	1		45				.032	.216				.10		5	.08	9		6.6			
Scale of Turbidity										Scale of Color—										0—Colorless 100—Yellowish Brown 200—Deep Yellowish Brown Tint			
0—None 1-4 inclusive—Very Slight 5-9 inclusive—Slight 10 and over—Distinct																							

Scale of Turbidity 0—None
1-4 inclusive—Very Slight
5-9 inclusive—Slight
10 and over—Distinct

Scale of Color— 0—Colorless
100—Yellowish Brown Tint
200—Deep Yellowish Brown Tint

TABLE B
LITTLE QUITTACAS POND—EAST INTAKE
WATER ANALYSIS—STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.
PARTS PER MILLION

Number.	Date of		APPEARANCE			RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION			AMMONIA			Chlorides		Nitrogen as		Consumed Oxygen	Hardness	Fe.	Alk.	Mn.	pH
	Collection	Receipt	Turbidity	Sediment	Color	Total	Loss on Ignition	Fixed	Free	Albuminoid											
										Total	In solution	In suspension									
350614	Feb.	7	8		30				.008	.128			7.2	.09			14	.15	7		6.4
351400	Apr.	5	2		23				.022	.180			6.8	.10			13	.08	8		6.5
353592	July	10	2		35				.016	.150			7.3	.08			6	.08	12		6.5
355230	Sept.	8	2		38				.014	.120				.09			8	.15	7		6.5
356725	Nov.	6	3		38				.010	.144			7.2	.10			5	.08	9		6.6

Scale of Turbidity 0—None
1-4 inclusive—Very Slight
5-9 inclusive—Slight
10 and over—Distinct

Scale of Color— 0—Colorless
100—Yellowish Brown Tint
200—Deep Yellowish Brown Tint

TABLE C
LITTLE QUITTACAS POND—WEST INTAKE
WATER ANALYSIS—STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.
PARTS PER MILLION

Number	Date of		APPEARANCE			RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION			AMMONIA				Nitrogen as		Oxygen Consumed	Hardness	Fe.	Alk.	Mn.	pH
	Collection		Turbidity	Sediment	Color	Total	Loss on Ignition	Fixed	Free	Total	In Solution	In suspension	Nitrates	Nitrites						
350615	Feb.	7	27		27				.020	.116			.08			14	.15	7		6.2
351401	Apr.	5	32		32				.030	.144			.07			16	.05	8		6.5
353503	July	10	33		33				.022	.152			.06			6	.08	10		6.5
356726	Nov.	6	38		38				.014	.174			.10			10	.13	7		6.6

<p>Scale of Turbidity 0—None 1-4 inclusive—Very Slight 5-9 inclusive—Slight 10 and over—Distinct</p>	<p>Scale of Color— 0—Colorless 100—Yellowish Brown Tint 200—Deep Yellowish Brown Tint</p>
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TABLE D
LONG POND
WATER ANALYSIS—STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
PARTS PER MILLION

Number	Date of		APPEARANCE			RESIDUE ON EVAPORATION			AMMONIA				Chlorides		Nitrogen as		Oxygen Consumed	Hardness	Fe.	Alk.	Mn.	pH
	Collection	Receipt	Turbidity	Sediment	Color	Total	Loss on Ignition	Fixed	Free	Total	In Solu- tion	In sus- pension										
351402	Apr.	5	8		60				.012	.178			6.0	.45				10	.18	7		6.1
353594	July	10	3		60				.004	.140			6.4	.10				5	.24	12		5.7
356727	Nov.	8	4		85				.030	.205			6.0	.11				5	.30	5		6.3

Scale of Turbidity 0—None 0—Colorless
1-4 inclusive—Very Slight 100—Yellowish Brown Tint
5-9 inclusive—Slight 200—Deep Yellowish Brown Tint
10 and over—Distinct

TABLE E

RECORD OF RAINFALL AT QUITTACAS PUMPING STATION 1946

Date	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1				.55		.55	.06	2.86				.05
2			.45	.24		1.28	.44	.02	.01	.01	.03	
3							.02				.03	
4				.18	.02	.20		.13				
5					.38	.07	.06		.04			
6	.04	.45		.03	.01		.15	.78				
7	.08		.05		.24	.02		6.00			.06	
8			.12	.06		.18						
9	.35			.10	.03		.10					
10								.09	.01			
11	.14		.09		.20	.33					.43	
12	.05				.30	.03				.25		.23
13		.22		.02				.63				
14	.02	.37			1.46	.05		.15				
15		.02		.01								
16					.02			.30				
17					.46	.02		.02			.03	.07
18					.24	.55				.49		
19		1.29		.08				1.67				
20	.65			.02	.09		1.15					2.12
21	.68				.68	.09						.64
22		.30					.04	.07	.31		.58	
23				.14			.01	1.36				
24	1.66	.10	.08	1.05					1.03			
25			.19	.19								
26		.20	.89		.27		.02	.07			.04	
27		.98		.06	.84			1.38				.35
28					.06							.14
29				.13				.11		.03		.40
30	.48								1.11			
31	.13											
Totals	4.28	3.93	1.87	2.86	5.30	3.37	2.05	15.64	2.51	.78	1.20	4.00

Total fall for the year 47.79 inches.

TABLE F
RAINFALL AT THE QUITTACAS PUMPING STATION FOR THE PAST FIFTY-TWO YEARS
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946.

YEARS	MONTHS												Totals
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
1885	3.46	1.07	3.00	4.37	4.24	2.11	3.11	2.49	1.47	6.38	4.41	3.12	40.03
1886	2.28	3.94	6.43	1.06	2.76	3.39	3.07	3.81	8.23	4.41	3.81	2.84	48.03
1887	4.50	6.47	2.96	5.27	5.34	2.70	3.79	3.80	1.29	4.11	7.71	4.29	46.11
1888	4.29	2.70	3.16	5.27	5.34	1.22	5.09	6.80	1.25	10.16	7.81	2.10	59.76
1889	6.27	6.83	8.25	1.90	1.63	3.91	2.94	2.24	7.27	2.22	2.21	1.77	47.44
1890	4.96	6.10	4.25	2.27	5.59	1.41	2.28	1.76	3.05	5.46	3.95	2.70	43.78
1901	2.36	1.05	7.78	6.65	8.47	1.92	3.45	2.75	3.09	2.85	1.99	9.52	51.88
1902	2.92	5.88	6.27	3.85	1.05	4.10	2.06	1.29	3.65	4.78	1.72	5.14	42.01
1903	4.11	6.26	8.13	5.77	.91	4.81	2.12	3.75	1.19	4.64	2.71	3.84	48.30
1904	2.83	4.04	2.42	9.28	3.40	4.38	1.68	4.38	2.66	1.86	2.36	3.34	42.63
1905	2.71	2.31	2.40	1.99	1.95	7.76	2.78	3.84	5.80	2.14	2.64	4.47	40.83
1906	3.88	4.86	7.84	2.62	5.01	3.86	4.89	1.71	3.62	3.35	5.62	3.62	48.13
1907	3.31	2.56	1.74	3.47	4.17	2.04	2.36	4.94	1.47	8.04	1.41	4.46	43.27
1908	2.54	4.35	3.74	2.14	4.22	2.07	1.11	2.23	4.40	2.07	4.69	2.98	41.74
1909	4.38	5.92	4.08	6.51	3.92	1.96	2.89	2.42	1.65	2.46	4.43	3.12	35.89
1910	2.49	5.19	1.24	2.25	3.19	4.56	5.12	4.06	2.98	2.37	7.40	3.50	42.78
1911	3.75	2.63	3.80	3.64	1.39	2.14	1.14	4.88	1.96	1.40	4.27	6.62	45.52
1912	5.32	3.74	8.11	3.67	4.13	.28	2.37	3.11	2.33	11.42	2.75	4.56	47.18
1913	5.01	3.48	3.34	5.74	1.75	1.32	4.80	3.11	1.00	2.51	3.31	4.97	38.18
1914	3.42	3.86	3.68	4.43	2.65	.95	5.69	7.38	2.60	3.95	1.98	4.52	46.44
1915	10.07	3.92	.18	2.57	2.49	1.64	1.12	1.25	2.11	3.09	3.21	3.09	46.79
1916	1.95	4.21	3.37	4.27	4.06	4.85	1.72	3.57	1.52	4.97	1.15	2.07	41.40
1917	3.19	1.97	5.92	4.69	5.05	5.35	3.30	2.06	3.85	.73	2.40	3.70	35.85
1918	3.38	4.50	1.65	5.01	1.87	3.40	1.88	7.94	6.06	1.78	4.23	2.48	52.50
1919	5.48	3.91	4.97	3.37	4.27	2.42	5.39	2.35	1.93	2.90	3.93	4.06	50.85
1920	3.40	5.64	5.89	5.31	5.24	8.12	9.23	2.39	1.85	1.49	7.73	2.92	48.42
1921	3.35	3.87	4.84	4.84	4.58	3.53	4.93	11.37	1.94	3.32	1.13	3.47	50.76
1922	2.12	3.52	6.45	1.96	4.31	6.24	1.61	2.32	1.96	3.94	1.98	5.70	42.85
1923	1.74	3.25	5.01	6.15	1.33	3.67	2.06	8.89	3.41	.16	1.75	2.47	40.40
1924	6.39	2.81	6.70	6.70	2.41	2.64	1.21	8.89	3.41	4.50	4.52	3.95	41.66
1925	3.73	2.26	3.98	2.41	3.34	3.24	3.90	1.44	4.39				

1926	2.84	6.28	3.28	2.46	2.94	2.30	2.79	3.47	1.12	8.15	4.81	3.61	45.05
1927	3.32	3.36	1.65	1.56	2.15	2.31	4.87	10.95	2.66	3.83	5.21	5.45	47.33
1928	3.75	3.88	4.45	4.28	1.30	4.91	4.53	2.84	4.62	2.09	2.46	3.52	42.13
1929	4.10	3.73	4.21	7.25	3.32	.87	3.40	4.27	4.45	2.93	3.00	5.44	47.21
1930	3.63	3.75	2.89	1.50	2.91	3.27	2.80	2.57	3.55	4.35	4.60	2.73	34.53
1931	3.72	2.70	6.88	3.43	5.64	6.27	3.07	6.46	1.94	3.44	.86	3.72	48.13
1932	6.54	2.42	6.01	1.47	2.10	1.90	1.87	5.49	6.20	5.44	7.34	2.34	49.12
1933	2.84	4.20	6.56	7.41	1.87	1.25	2.28	2.45	11.67	4.26	2.67	4.15	51.70
1934	4.11	3.98	4.01	3.94	3.15	4.20	1.04	2.91	2.40	4.27	3.28	4.13	42.02
1935	7.07	3.15	2.07	5.05	1.98	3.60	3.56	1.80	4.49	1.81	6.52	1.61	42.71
1936	7.97	2.52	6.72	3.93	.96	3.40	2.48	4.29	7.60	2.38	1.36	10.52	54.13
1937	5.23	1.07	3.95	5.84	2.49	3.87	.23	3.12	4.22	4.76	5.62	4.83	45.83
1938	4.19	2.88	2.95	3.17	3.50	8.81	3.11	3.49	6.78	3.26	3.85	4.13	50.12
1939	3.69	5.83	6.99	5.62	1.38	4.41	1.89	4.11	2.77	4.50	1.55	2.13	44.97
1940	2.98	7.93	4.77	8.54	4.61	1.56	4.10	1.13	4.51	1.79	7.36	2.94	52.22
1941	4.71	3.04	3.24	2.19	4.71	5.60	3.74	3.58	.15	2.48	2.27	3.01	39.57
1942	4.88	3.35	9.65	.95	1.55	2.24	2.55	5.72	2.66	5.49	5.60	4.61	49.25
1943	4.20	2.11	3.83	3.93	3.71	1.62	3.69	1.92	1.54	4.14	2.76	1.43	34.88
1944	2.43	2.19	4.93	3.90	.55	4.06	1.53	1.20	6.07	2.26	8.99	4.22	41.83
1945	4.58	5.77	2.57	2.63	4.50	3.41	1.38	3.24	2.00	4.01	9.61	10.13	53.63
1946	4.28	3.93	1.87	2.86	5.30	3.37	2.05	15.64	2.51	.78	1.20	4.00	47.79
Totals	212.95	199.88	231.16	210.09	170.55	178.25	166.22	207.79	178.47	190.19	202.00	210.86	2358.41
Averages	4.10	3.84	4.45	4.04	3.28	3.43	3.20	3.80	3.43	3.66	3.88	4.06	45.35

TABLE G

RECORD OF RAINFALL AT LONG PLAIN 1946

Date	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1				.45		.65		2.21				.04
2			.48	.28		1.32	.51	.11			.02	
3								.02				
4				.15	.09	.17						
5				.33	.02		.09	.03	.03			
6	.02	.31		.04	.02		.04					
7	.10		.04	.07	.20	.06		4.95			.06	
8			.08	.07		.16					.02	
9	.51		.08	.12			.52		.02			
10								.12				
11	.12		.16		.24	.36					.50	
12	.05				.12	.07		.09		.25		.29
13		.22				.05		.24				.03
14		.39		.02	1.66	.10		.13				
15		.09			.03							
16					.03			.35				
17						.07		.02			.03	.11
18					.38	.45				.35		
19		1.43		.07				1.65				
20	.41			.04	.05		1.60					2.35
21	.83				.66	.07	.03		.29			.68
22		.06					.04				.54	
23				.12			.08	1.19				
24	1.64	.08	.06	.02					1.45			
25	.02		.16	1.11			.11					
26		.11	.96	.20	.07			.04		.03	.09	
27		.83		.05	.78			1.35				.21
28					.16					.02		.31
29				.14				.18				.42
30	.55							.04	1.03			
31	.15											
Totals	4.40	3.52	2.02	2.88	4.82	3.53	3.02	12.72	2.82	.65	1.26	4.44

Total fall for the year 46.08 inches.

TABLE H
STATEMENT OF WORK DONE BY LEAVITT ENGINE A FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946

Months	Number of days or parts of days pumping	Total pumping time per month		Average number of strokes per minute	Fuel			Total number of gallons pumped per month, allow- ance being made for slip	Number of gallons pumped per pound of coal for total coal	Number of Gallons raised 100 ft. per lb. coal for total coal	Average dynamic head against pump in feet; no allowance for friction in suction	Average duty in pounds raised one ft. high per 100 lbs. coal, calculated on total fuel used for all purposes.
		H.	M.		Keeping spare engine warm.	All other coal including lighting and heating building.	Lbs.					
1946												
January	0	0	0	0	8200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
February	0	0	0	0	1150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	9300	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
April	1	8	00	30.0	8700	4,300	3,198,060	743	1280	173.62	173.62	36,000,000
May	1	7	00	30.1	9000	3,900	2,747,018	704	1219	173.12	173.12	30,000,000
June	1	28	00	32.1	7800	16,400	11,782,900	718	1267	176.44	176.44	71,000,000
July	31	739	15	32.3	0	415,800	313,284,094	753	1317	174.93	174.93	110,000,000
August	31	739	45	32.6	0	433,235	316,018,904	729	1271	174.31	174.31	106,000,000
September	30	713	00	32.6	0	425,050	304,282,438	716	1248	174.26	174.26	104,000,000
October	31	744	00	32.5	0	427,983	313,835,634	733	1277	174.28	174.28	106,000,000
November	30	716	00	32.3	0	413,720	303,127,910	733	1279	174.46	174.46	107,000,000
December	31	741	45	31.8	0	432,865	312,220,192	722	1259	174.43	174.43	105,000,000
Totals & Averages	190	4436	45	32.4	44,150	2,573,255	1,880,506,150	718	1253		174.45	105,000,000

The duty is based on total fuel used for all purposes. This includes banking fires, starting, heating building, running electric light engine at night. No deduction for ashes, moisture in coal or anything else.

TABLE I

STATEMENT OF WORK DONE BY LEAVITT ENGINE B FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946

Diameter steam cylinders 16% and 36% in.
 Diameter pump plungers 13 7-10 and 19% in.
 Stroke of Piston Plungers 90 inches.

Average working steam pressure 108 lbs.
 Average static head 167.64 ft.

Months	Number of days or parts	H. M.		Total number of strokes per month	Average number of strokes per minute	Fuel		Total number of gallons pumped per month, allowance being made for slipp.	Number of gallons pumped per pound of coal for total coal.	Number of gallons raised 100 ft. per lb. of coal for total coal	Average dynamic head against pump in ft: no allowance for friction in suction	Average duty in pounds lbs. coal, calculated on total fuel used for all purposes
		Total pumping time per month				Keeping spare engine warm.	All other coal including lighting and heating building.					
1946												
January	30	728	25	1,423,532	32.5	0	431,745	310,329,976	718	1238	172.41	103,000,000
February	28	672	00	1,314,382	32.5	0	406,490	286,535,276	705	1212	171.86	101,000,000
March	31	733	55	1,432,185	32.5	0	442,495	312,216,330	704	1209	171.79	101,000,000
April	27	719	00	1,504,310	32.5	0	414,985	303,959,580	733	1255	171.26	104,000,000
May	31	744	00	1,453,774	32.5	0	427,000	316,922,732	743	1265	170.31	105,000,000
June	30	720	00	1,406,084	32.2	0	419,175	306,526,312	733	1254	171.12	104,000,000
July	3	62	30	121,246	32.2	7800	34,645	2,643,628	623	1109	178.03	92,000,000
August	3	24	00	46,455	32.2	8400	14,000	10,127,190	452	798	176.59	67,000,000
September	1	3	12	6,108	31.8	8700	2,000	1,331,544	965	1168	175.66	18,000,000
October	0	0	00			9300	0	0	0	0	0	0
November	13	153	15	298,488	32.5	5100	129,800	65,070,384	720	1253	174.06	70,000,000
December	0	0	00	0	0	8600	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals & Averages	197	4560	17	8,896,564	32.5	47,900	2,722,335	1,939,450,952	700	1202	171.68	103,000,000

The duty is based on total fuel used for all purposes. This includes banking fires, starting, heating building, running electric light engine at night. No deduction for ashes, moisture in coal or anything else.

TABLE J

STATEMENT OF WORK DONE BY ELECTRICALLY OPERATED De LAVAL CENTRIFUGAL PUMP C FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1945

Number of revolutions per minute, 1700 to 1800
 Capacity when pumping alone per 24 hours, $6\frac{1}{4}$ million gallons
 Capacity when pumping with one Leavitt Engine, per 24 hours, 6 million gallons
 Average static head for year 167.2
 Average Dynamic head for year 179.1

Months	Number of days or parts of days pumping	Total pumping time per month	Current used per month K. W. H.	Number of gallons pumped per month	Number of gallons pumped per K. W. H.
		H. M.			
January	15	464—07	106,600	110,549,000	1037
February	14	333—00	76,000	78,752,000	1036
March	20	486—01	108,900	111,189,000	1021
April	21	503—08	108,600	110,082,000	1013
May	20	488—25	111,000	113,988,000	1027
June	21	502—25	113,400	115,962,000	1023
July	23	543—43	123,400	126,118,000	1022
August	26	616—22	139,200	141,819,000	1019
September	25	605—36	137,900	140,795,000	1021
October	31	659—05	149,000	151,726,000	1018
November	15	243—09	54,800	56,061,000	1023
December	26	511—35	118,000	124,624,000	1056
Totals & Averages	257	5956—36	1,346,800	1,381,665,000	1026

Number of K. W. H. required to raise one million gallons into Reservoir 974.

$$\text{Duty} = \frac{1,381,665,000 \times 8.34 \times 100 \times 179.1}{1,346,800} = 153,200,000 \text{ lbs. raised } 1 \text{ ft. high per } 100 \text{ K. W. H.}$$

SUMMARY

	Steel	Lock Joint	Cast Iron												Trans-site	Trans-site	
			48 in.	48 in.	48 in.	36 in.	30 in.	24 in.	20 in.	16 in.	12 in.	10 in.	8 in.	6 in.			4 in.	8 in.	6 in.
Previous to 1946 Laid in 1946	42381	18893			30635	68579	41162	9811	11310	48791	65658 610	82640 151	264542 153	412506 505	37230	1866 2099	1346
	42381	18893			30635	68579	41162	9811	11310	48791	66268	82791	264695	413011	37230	3965	1346
Removed																	
Total now in use	42381	18893			30635	68579	41162	9811	11310	48791	66268	82791	264695	413011	37230	3965	1346
Percentage of total length	3.7	1.7			2.7	6.0	3.6	0.9	1.0	4.3	5.8	7.2	23.2	36.2	3.3	0.3	0.1
Inch miles	385.28	171.75			278.50	467.58	233.88	44.59	42.84	147.85	150.60	156.80	401.04	469.32	28.22	6.00	1.50
Percentage of inch miles	12.9	5.8			9.3	15.7	7.9	1.5	1.4	5.0	5.0	5.3	13.4	15.7	0.95	0.10	0.05

Total length laid in 1946	.....	3,518 feet or	.666 miles
Total length removed in 1946	.....	0 feet or	0 miles
Total length of pipe in use December 31, 1946	.....	1,140,868 feet or	216.073 miles
Total number of inch miles	.....	2,985.75	inch miles
Average size	.....	13.8	inches

TABLE K

COMPARISON COST OF PUMPING BY STEAM AND ELECTRICITY

1918 — 1946

6 MGD DeLAVAL ELECTRIC CENTRIFUGAL PUMP — "C"										2 — 10 MGD LEAVITT STEAM PUMPS—"A" and "B"									
Year	Total Pumping		Total Current K. W. H.	Total Pumpage Million Gallons	Total Cost of Current	Average Cost per K. W. H.	Cost of Raising 1 Million Gals.		Average Dynamic Head	Overall Efficiency	Total Pumpage Million Gals.	Total Coal Consumed Lbs.	Total Cost of Coal	Coal Cost per Net Ton	Cost of Raising 1 Million Gals.		Average Dynamic Head	Duty per 100 lbs. Coal	
	Hrs.	Min.					To Reser.	100 ft.							To Reser.	100 ft.			
1918	508	30	117,300	120.16	\$2,383.08	\$.0203	\$18.88	\$ 9.32	202.40	68.5%	3,172.59	3,747,050	\$15,721.39	\$8.40	\$5.24	\$2.73	189.83	128,236,436	
1919	1389	45	314,200	351.58	6,935.92	.0220	19.73	10.45	189.00	66.5%	3,428.45	4,232,700	17,967.81	8.39	4.97	2.68	185.64	131,066,844	
1920	942	40	215,500	239.65	4,997.86	.0232	20.85	11.07	188.52	66.0%	3,553.81	4,201,650	27,205.68	12.95	7.67	4.14	185.84	131,067,048	
1921	151		33,400	36.45	1,856.73	.0555	50.94	28.00	181.33	62.3%	3,347.41	3,986,050	17,678.13	8.87	5.28	2.88	183.11	128,246,166	
1922	993	40	227,100	248.06	5,782.65	.0254	23.31	12.85	181.42	62.3%	3,882.31	4,439,780	14,743.05	7.00	3.80	2.08	183.09	124,922,516	
1923	1520	30	345,200	381.63	9,646.72	.0280	25.27	13.93	181.29	62.8%	3,657.14	4,543,806	17,652.68	7.77	4.83	2.57	188.03	126,216,278	
1924	579	45	130,700	139.46	3,646.35	.0280	26.15	13.85	189.46	63.5%	3,425.05	4,212,300	13,004.50	6.26	3.80	2.02	188.52	127,841,193	
1925	262	5	75,000	82.99	2,195.35	.0298	26.45	14.08	188.00	65.2%	3,408.32	4,166,554	13,499.63	6.48	3.96	2.14	185.04	126,239,503	
1926	207	45	47,000	50.98	1,578.97	.0336	30.97	16.67	185.79	63.2%	3,282.66	4,056,395	13,710.61	6.76	4.18	2.26	184.14	124,279,713	
1927	156	35	33,300	36.60	926.63	.0262	25.32	14.02	180.71	58.8%	3,246.96	4,010,020	13,634.07	6.80	4.20	2.27	185.23	125,085,621	
1928	50	50	11,700	12.48	307.76	.0262	24.62	13.72	179.42	60.2%	2,979.63	3,715,575	12,391.33	6.67	4.16	2.28	182.50	126,164,303	
1929	314	30	70,000	72.42	1,621.43	.0232	22.39	11.66	192.00	62.3%	3,494.05	4,444,205	14,643.64	6.59	4.19	2.24	186.70	121,333,976	
1930	183	10	41,900	42.59	977.09	.0233	22.94	11.70	196.11	62.5%	3,595.38	4,581,745	14,844.84	6.48	4.13	2.25	183.31	122,759,588	
1931	134	55	31,100	32.44	781.20	.0251	24.08	12.55	191.79	62.8%	3,569.82	4,438,715	14,248.29	6.42	3.99	2.13	187.39	125,811,414	
1932	Pump "C" ran only two hours for weir test										3,276.80	4,008,980	12,344.71	6.16	3.77	2.05	184.32	125,684,733	
1933	116	40	30,500	29.81	718.92	.0236	24.12	12.28	196.44	60.2%	3,336.00	4,195,665	12,146.44	5.79	3.64	1.99	188.06	121,130,800	
1934	151	45	33,700	33.94	1,052.64	.0313	31.01	16.23	190.92	60.5%	3,364.73	4,239,010	13,204.49	6.23	3.93	2.14	183.18	121,165,876	
1935	174	45	39,100	40.35	1,283.70	.0328	31.81	17.95	177.22	57.5%	3,711.45	4,425,780	15,201.87	6.87	4.10	2.30	178.01	124,533,547	
1936	216	25	48,200	49.49	1,024.05	.0212	20.70	11.21	184.69	59.5%	3,520.75	4,275,877	14,773.16	6.91	4.20	2.34	179.38	123,275,065	
1937	75	20	16,700	16.87	374.20	.0224	22.20	12.45	178.00	56.5%	3,555.66	4,227,491	14,690.56	6.95	4.13	2.32	178.18	125,595,355	
1938	80	40	18,100	17.96	394.42	.0218	21.96	12.38	177.60	55.4%	3,236.70	3,960,013	13,860.07	7.00	4.28	2.41	177.97	121,316,022	
1939	605	50	137,100	141.16	2,839.48	.0207	20.12	11.26	178.52	57.5%	3,493.91	4,301,699	14,737.91	7.09	4.22	2.38	177.67	119,962,403	
1940	39	50	9,000	9.36	239.66	.0266	25.60	14.24	179.10	58.6%	3,470.45	4,259,690	15,696.63	7.87	4.52	2.54	177.77	120,750,000	
1941	1039	28	235,900	244.09	4,226.22	.0179	17.31	9.66	179.08	58.2%	3,566.42	4,353,303	16,477.25	7.57	4.62	2.59	177.87	120,000,000	
1942	596	45	135,500	140.54	3,289.95	.0242	23.41	13.06	179.11	58.4%	3,880.48	4,860,127	20,291.03	8.35	5.23	2.94	178.10	119,000,000	
1943	2499	33	567,400	586.25	9,333.48	.0164	15.92	8.84	180.00	58.4%	3,900.16	5,082,950	21,882.10	8.61	5.61	3.01	186.09	119,000,000	
1944	4690	06	1,083,200	1,106.76	14,662.45	.0135	13.26	7.40	179.23	57.4%	3,870.10	5,343,360	23,804.67	8.91	6.15	3.33	184.64	112,000,000	
1945	4880	32	1,130,200	1,104.78	15,661.44	.0138	14.17	7.90	179.3	54.9%	3,725.19	5,157,835	23,854.99	9.25	6.40	3.59	177.96	107,000,000	
1946	5956	36	1,346,800	1,381.66	17,425.35	.0120	12.61	7.04	179.1	57.7%	3,819.95	5,387,640	26,318.62	9.77	6.89	3.98	173.07	102,000,000	

TABLE L
LOCATION AND SIZE OF MAIN PIPE LAID IN 1946

STREET	12" De- Lavaud	10" Cast Iron	8" Cast Iron	8" Tran- site	6" Cast Iron	6" Warren Spun
Allord Street, E. x Brock Ave.						
Becket St., W. x Acushnet Ave.				208	99	130
Bonney Street, N. x Jouvette St.						
Greenwood St., E. x Rockdale Ave.			103' 7"			
Holly St., W. x Ashley Blvd.	610					
Holden St., W. x Conduit St.						127
Lawrence St., N. x Park Ave.				143		
Ohio St., W. x Conduit St.			34	546		
Padanaram Ave., S. x Cove Rd.			15	874		
Turner St., S. x Mt. Vernon St.		151		48' 9"		
Wilbur St., W. x Rockdale Ave.				279' 6"	149	
Wildwood Rd., N. x Joyce St.						
Yates St., N. x Tarklin Hill Rd.						
Totals	610	151	152' 7"	2099' 3"	248	257

TABLE M

LOCATION AND SIZE OF SMALL MAIN PIPE
LAID IN 1946

Street	3" DeL.	3" Copper	1¼" Copper	1" Galv.
Coffin Ave. Court			270	
Fulton St. W. x Rockdale Ave.	84			
Ryan St., E. x Reed St.		155		
Summit St., N. x Maxfield				50
Totals	84	155	270	50

LOCATION AND SIZE OF SMALL SIZE MAIN PIPE
REMOVED IN 1946

Street	1" Lead
Coffin Ave. Court	270
Totals	270

TABLE N

LOCATION AND SIZE OF STOP GATES SET IN 1946

Location	8"	6"
Acushnet Ave. N. x S. Line Becket St. 18.7'	1	1
Bonney St. N. x S. Line Jouvette St. 23'	1	
Holly St., E. x W. Line Ashley Blvd. 15.3'	1	
Joyce St., W. x E. Line Wildwood Road 34.5'	1	
Lawrence St., N. x S. Line Park Avenue 23'	1	
Ohio St., E. x W. Line Conduit St. 53'	1	
Padanaram Ave., S. x first Hydrant S. x Cove Road 15.6'	1	
Totals	6	1

Number of Stop Gates Set in 1946 7
 Number of Stop Gates Removed in 1946 0

Number of Stop Gates to be added 7
 Number in use December 31, 1945 2959

Number in use December 31, 1946 2966

TABLE O

LOCATION AND SIZE OF SMALL SIZE STOP GATES
SET IN 1946

Location	3"	1¼"
Coffin Ave., E. x W. line Coffin Ave. Ct. .5'.....		1
Ryan St., W. x E. line Reed St. .8'	1	
Totals	1	1

Number of Small Size Stop Gates Set in 1946 2
 Number of Small Size Stop Gates Removed in 1946.. 0

Number to be added 2
 Number in use December 31, 1945 90

Number in use December 31, 1946 92

TABLE P

LOCATION AND SIZE OF PRIVATE STOP GATES
SET IN 1946

Streets	8"	6"	4"	3"	2"
Belleville Ave., at Aerovox Mfg. Co., N. x N. line of Hadley St., 84.0 ft.			1		
Belleville Ave., at New Bedford Re- construction Corp., N. x N. line of Nye St., 68.6 ft.				1	
Bonney St., at Eastland Food Prod- ucts Co., N. x N. line of Jouvette St., 102.0 ft.				1	
Brook St. at Colonial Textile Mfg. Co., S. x S. line of Coffin Ave., 78.8 ft.			1		
Brook St. at Dawson's Brewery, N. x S. line of Holly St., 15.8 ft.		1			
Brook St. at Dawson's Brewery, N. x N. line of Holly St., 23.1 ft.			1		
Brook St. at Dawson's Brewery, S. x S. line of Tallman St. 89.4 ft.	1				
Building at Wamsutta Mills, S. x N. line of Logan St., 477 ft.		1			
Building at Dartmouth Finishing Co. S. x N. line Cove St., 8.9 ft.		1			
Central Ave., at Lawrence F. Hughes, E. x E. line of Brook St., 120.0 ft.			1		
Cove St., at Hathaway Mfg. Corp. W. x W. line of Viall St., 47.7 ft...				1	
Cove. St., at Dartmouth Finishing Co., E. x E. line of Roosevelt St., 11.0 ft.	1				
David St., at Krim-Ko Corp., E. x E. line of Cleveland St., 273.0 ft.			1		
Elm St., at Harbor Marine Corp., E. x E. line of Bethel St., 43.0 ft.					1
Grit St., at Kilburn Mills, E. x E. line of Shore St., 35.6 ft.		1			
Hawthorn St., at Alfred H. Saulnier, E. x E. line of Orchard St., 183.0 ft.				1	
Howard Ave., at Acushnet Process Co. E. x E. line of Belleville Ave., 67.4 ft.					1
Kempton St., at Leno Elastic Web Co., E. x E. line of Brownell Ave., 216.9 ft.			1		
North St., at Hyman Miller, W. x W. line of Rockdale Ave., 275.6 ft.		1			
Pleasant St., at Standard Bldg. Annex, N. x N. line of Union St., 98.4 ft.					1
Rodman St., at John S. Dunn, W. x W.					

line of Front St., 55.3 ft.		1			
E. Rodney French Blvd., at Milburn Realty Corp., N. x N. line of Ap- ponagansett St., 388.2 ft.				1	
Totals	2	6	6	5	3

Number of Private Stop Gates set in 1946 22
 Number of Private Stop Gates removed 0

Number to be added 22
 Number in use December 31, 1945 779

Number in use December 31, 1946 801

TABLE Q

LOCATION OF HYDRANTS SET IN 1946

Becket St., S. S., 19.5' W. x W. line Acushnet Ave.
 Lawrence St., W. S. 105.5' N. x N. line Park Ave.
 Ohio St. S. S., 536.8' W. x W. line Conduit St.
 Padanaram Ave., W. S., 1079.1' S. x S. line Cove Rd.
 Padanaram Ave., W. S., 1479.1' S. x S. line Cove Rd.
 Wildwood Rd., W. S., 38' N. x N. line Kingcroft St.

Number of Hydrants Set in 1946 6
 Number of Hydrants Removed in 1946 0

Number of Hydrants to be added 6

Number in use December 31, 1945 1921

Number in use December 31, 1946 1927

TABLE R

STATEMENT OF WORK DONE BY THE SERVICE
DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1946

Kind and Size	Services	Length on Taker	Length on City
Lead Pipe 1 inch heavy	6	72½	104
Lead Pipe ¾ inch heavy	24	447	577
Lead Pipe ⅝ inch heavy	40	702½	957
Copper Tubing 4 inch	4	192½	
Copper Tubing 3 inch	4	135	
Copper Tubing 2 inch	3	116	
Copper Tubing 1½ inch	7	588	
Copper Tubing 1¼ inch	4	168	
Copper Tubing 1 inch	5	299 5/10	78
Copper Tubing ¾ inch	30	953½	716½
De Lavaud 12 inch	1	54	
De Lavaud 6 inch	4	100	
Sand Cast 8 inch	1	40	
Warren Spun 8 inch		93	
Warren Spun 6 inch	1	62½	
Totals	134	4024	2432½

Two 3 inch cast iron services have been removed and replaced with 3 inch copper tubing services.

One 2 inch cast iron service has been removed and replaced with 2 inch copper service.

Three 1 inch light lead services have been removed and replaced with 1 inch heavy lead services.

Two $\frac{3}{4}$ inch light lead services have been removed and replaced with $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead services.

Twelve $\frac{3}{4}$ inch light lead services have been removed and replaced with $\frac{3}{4}$ inch heavy lead services.

Forty-eight $\frac{5}{8}$ inch light lead services have been removed and replaced with $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead services.

Two $\frac{5}{8}$ inch light lead services have been removed and replaced with $\frac{3}{4}$ inch heavy lead services.

One $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead service has been removed and replaced with 1 inch heavy lead service.

One $\frac{5}{8}$ inch light lead service has been removed and replaced with 1 inch heavy lead service.

One $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead service has been removed and replaced with $\frac{3}{4}$ inch copper service.

Twenty $\frac{1}{2}$ inch heavy lead services have been removed and replaced with $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead services.

One $\frac{1}{2}$ inch heavy lead service has been removed and replaced with $\frac{3}{4}$ inch heavy lead service.

One $\frac{1}{2}$ inch heavy lead service has been removed and replaced with $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead service.

One $\frac{1}{2}$ inch heavy lead service, and one $\frac{5}{8}$ inch heavy lead service have been removed.

Length of service pipe laid during the year....	6513 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.
Number of services laid in 1946	134
Number of services removed	2
Number to be added	132
Number in use December 31, 1945	19764
Number in use December 31, 1946	19896

TABLE S
MAINTENANCE OF METERS DURING THE YEAR 1946

Size	Frozen	REPAIRED			CLEANED and TESTED			Total Number Repaired and Tested	Total Cost
		Other Repairs	Total Number Repaired	Cost	Average Cost per Meter	Total Number Cleaned and Tested	Cost	Average Cost per Meter	
6 inch		1	1	\$7.00	\$7.00				\$7.00
4 inch		4	4	172.79	43.20				172.79
3 inch		9	9	185.00	37.45				222.45
2 inch		17	17	456.49	26.85	2	\$37.45	\$18.72	518.44
1½ inch		1	2	44.01	22.00	12	61.95	5.16	50.76
1 inch	1	46	47	423.58	9.01	12	6.75	3.38	449.38
¾ inch	1	193	197	1,315.35	6.22	33	25.80	2.15	1,391.90
5/8x¾ inch	4	45	45	255.00	5.67	11	76.55	2.32	270.50
5/8 inch	28	815	843	4,680.07	5.56	119	15.50	1.40	5,018.12
							338.05	2.84	
Totals	34	1131	1165	\$7,539.29		191	\$562.05		\$8,101.34

TABLE T
THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE DIFFERENT SIZES AND MAKES OF METERS
IN COMMISSION

Make	5/8"	3/4"	3/4" x 5/8"	1"	1 1/2"	2"	3"	4"	6"	8"	Totals
Crown	1	3		1	23	112	43	2	2		7
Empire	2822	791		56			2	28	2		3877
Empire Compound							2	3	3		8
Eureka									1	1	1
Gem								2	1		4
Hersey								2	1		15
Hersey Compound								8	1		14
Hersey Detector								2	7	5	14
Hersey Disc	3763	1402		155	7	7	1				5335
Hersey Rotary	12	4		1	1						18
Hersey Torrent						10		1			11
King	5558	1207	50	145	3	51					7014
Lambert	427	97		11		9		7	10	1	562
Nash	48	17		4							69
Trident											11
Trident Compound								4	6		17
Trident Crest								5	5		252
Trident Disc	189	27		3	13	1	6				11
Union Rotary	11	11				17	2	1			383
Worthington Disc	280	80		23							1
Badger	1										
Totals	13101	3639	50	399	47	209	66	66	27	6	17610

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1946.
IN FORM RECOMMENDED BY THE NEW ENGLAND
WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION.

NEW BEDFORD WATER WORKS.
NEW BEDFORD,
BRISTOL COUNTY, MASS.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Population by census of 1946—110,658.

Date of construction, 1866 to 1869, inclusive. Further supply, 1895 to 1899, inclusive.

By whom owned, City of New Bedford.

Source of supply.—Water was first introduced on Nov. 26, 1869. From that date until July 10, 1899, the supply was taken from a storing reservoir artificially formed by constructing a dam across the valley of the Acushnet River, seven miles north of the centre of the City. This supply was augmented by a connection made in 1886 with Little Quittacas Pond.

Since July 10, 1899, the whole supply has been taken from Great and Little Quittacas Ponds, eleven miles north of the centre of the city.

In 1926, under Legislative Authority to take $11\frac{1}{2}$ million gallons of water per day from Long, Assawompsett and Pocksha Ponds, a connection was made to bring water from Pocksha into Great Quittacas Pond, when needed.

Mode of supply.—Previous to July 10, 1899, the water flowed by gravity from the Acushnet Storing Reservoir (grade 40' + high water New Bedford Harbor) through a brick conduit 3 feet wide, 4 feet high, 5 6-10 miles long to a receiving reservoir (capacity 3 million gallons; grade 30') located opposite the Purchase Street Pumping Station. Thence it was pumped into the Mt. Pleasant Distributing Reservoir (capacity 15 million gallons; grade 154') located 1,879 feet distant, from whence it flowed by gravity into the city's distributing system.

Since July 10, 1899, the entire supply has been pumped from Little Quittacas Pond (grade 52'). It is pumped through two 48 inch force mains $8\frac{3}{4}$ miles long to a distributing reservoir (capacity 67 million gallons; grade 216') located upon High Hill, in the town of Dartmouth. From this reservoir it flows into the city's distributing system by gravitation through two 36-inch cast iron pipes averaging 4 1-17 miles in length.

It is also possible to pump directly to the city through a 48" and 36" main using the reservoir as a balance. This latter connection was completed in 1922.

The first named system is not now in use.

PUMPING STATISTICS

1. Builders of Pumping Machinery.

LITTLE QUITTACAS STATION

- a. b. Leavitt engines in duplicate, Capacity of the two engines built by Dickson Mfg. Co. 20,000,000 gallons per 24 hrs.
- c. DeLaval electrically operated centrifugal pump, Capacity about 6,000,000 gals., directly connected with a delivered into High Hill Reservoir in 24 hours. a General Electric squirrel cage type I. Form K. 3 phase, 60 cycle, 550 volt, 250 H. P., induction A. C. motor, operating at about 1800 revolutions per minute, built by DeLaval Steam Turbine Co. Current purchased of New Bedford Gas and Edison Light Co.

LITTLE QUITTACAS STATION—Engines A and B.

- 2. Description of fuel used.
 - a. Kind—bituminous.
 - b. Brand of coal—Pocahontas.
 - c. Price of coal per net ton—delivered Little Quittacas Station \$9.77.
 - d. Percentage of ash—11%.
 - e. Wood, price per cord—none used.
- 3. Coal consumed for the year—5,387,640 lbs.
- 4. (Pounds of wood consumed)÷3—equivalent amount of coal—none used.
- 5. Total equivalent coal consumed for the year=(3)+(4) 5,387,640 lbs.
- 6. Total pumpage for the year—3,819,957,102 gallons with 4.8% allowance for slip.
- 7. Average static head against which pumps work—167.73 feet.
- 8. Average dynamic head against which pumps work—173.07 feet.
- 9a. Number of gallons pumped per pound of equivalent coal (5) 709.
- 9b. Number of gallons raised 100 feet per pound of equivalent coal (5) 1,227.
- 10. Duty = $\frac{\text{gals. pumped (6)} \times 8.34 \text{ (lb. x 100 x dynamic head (8)}}{\text{Total fuel consumed (5)}} = 102,000,000$
- 10b. Cost per million gallons raised into High Hill Reservoir (engines A. and B.)=\$23.85.

LITTLE QUITTACAS STATION—Engine C.

11. Total pumping time for the year 5,956 hrs. 36 min.
12. Total current used for the year 1,346,800 K.W.H.
13. Total pumpage for the year 1,381,665,000 gallons.
14. Number of gallons pumped per K.W.H. 1,026.
15. Number of K. W. H. required to raise one million gallons into High Hill Reservoir 975.
Cost per K. W. H. varies in accordance with amount consumed.
16. Average cost per K.W.H. \$.0129.
17. Cost per million gallons raised into High Hill Reservoir, (Engine C only) \$13.33.

Total cost of pumping, figured on pumping station expenses, viz: \$109,527.51.

18. Per million gallons pumped \$21.05.
19. Per million gallons raised one foot (dynamic)—12 cents.

Cost of pumping figured on total maintenance and interest on bonds, (see financial CC+DD) less credits, viz: \$257,586.15.

20. Per million gallons pumped \$49.52.
21. Per million gallons raised one foot (dynamic)—28 cents.

Cost of pumping figured on total maintenance, interest on bonds and bond payments (see financial CC+DD+EE) less credits, viz: \$325,586.15.

22. Per million gallons pumped \$62.59.
23. Per million gallons raised one foot (dynamic)—36 cents.

STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION OF WATER

1. Estimated total population at date (New Bedford)...110,658
Acushnet 4,316, Dartmouth 9,909*124,883
2. Estimated population on lines of pipe*122,000
3. Estimated population supplied*122,000

Year July 1, 1945 through June 30, 1946

4. Total consumption for the year4,933,400,172
5. Passed through meters4,565,859,755
6. Percentage of consumption metered93%
7. Average daily consumption13,516,165
8. Gallons per day to each inhabitant*108
9. Gallons per day to each consumer*111
10. Gallons per day to each tap (active)*662
11. Average rate received per million gallons metered.....\$88.14
12. Average rate received per million gallons pumped.....\$81.58

Year December 31, 1945 through December 31, 1946

13. Cost of supplying water, per million gallons consumed
figured on total maintenance (item "CC) less
credits\$45.60
14. Cost of supplying water, per million gallons consumed
figured on total maintenance plus interest on
bonds CC+DD (less credits)\$49.55
15. Total cost of supplying water per million gallons consumed
figured on total maintenance, plus interest on bonds and bond payments CC+DD+-
EE (less credits)\$62.62

*Includes population supplied in the towns of Dartmouth and Acushnet.

STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM

MAINS

1. Kind of pipe cast iron and steel.
2. Sizes, from 4 inch to 48 inch.
3. Extended 3,518 feet during the year.
4. Discontinued 0 feet during year.
5. Total now in use 216.073 miles.
6. Cost of ordinary maintenance per mile including flushing and inspecting gates and hydrants \$17.91.
7. Number of leaks per mile .092.
8. Length of pipes less than 4 inches diam. 2.031 miles.
9. Number of hydrants deducted during the year 0.
10. Number of hydrants public (1927) and private (421) now in use 2,348.
11. Number of stop gates added during year 7.
12. Number of stop gates now in use, 2,966.
13. Number of stop gates smaller than 4 inch, 92.
14. Number of blow offs, 207.
15. Range of pressure on mains, 16 lbs. to 91 lbs.

SERVICES

16. Kind of pipe; lead, cast iron and copper tubing.
17. Sizes, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to 10 inch.
18. Extended 6,513.5 feet.
19. Discontinued 51 feet.
20. Total now in use 148.7712 miles.
21. Number of service taps added during year:

New Bedford	132
Dartmouth	98
Acushnet	19
Total added	211
22. Number now laid:

New Bedford	19,896
Dartmouth	1,856
Acushnet	671
Total now laid	22,423
Total now in use in N.B. ...	17,904
23. Average length of service 39.5 ft.
24. Average cost of service for the year:

(a) Gross	\$90.41
(b) Net	20.17
25. Number of meters to be added 106.
26. Number now in use, New Bedford only 17,610. (See Table T)
27. Percentage of active services, metered 98 $\frac{3}{10}$ %.
28. Percentage of water receipts from metered water =100.

FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

FOR DETAILS SEE WATER REGISTRAR'S REPORT

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance brought forward,		Water works maintenance:	
(a) From ordinary receipts, (main-tenance)	*882,985.63	AA. Operation (management and repairs)	\$268,048.42
(b) From extra ordinary receipts (bonds, etc.) additional supply	**1,688.82	BB. Special,	
Total balance	*884,674.45	CC. Total maintenance,	268,048.42
		DD. Interest on bonds,	20,496.25
		CC+DD	288,544.67
		EE. Payments of bonds,	68,000.00
		CC+DD+EE	356,544.67
		FF. Sinking Funds,	
From Water Rates		Water works construction:	
A. Fixture rates,		GG. Extension of mains,	\$25,527.88
B. Meter rates, \$413,827.85		HH. Extension of services,	12,115.10
Rental demands,		II. Extension of meters,	2,610.14
shut off charges, 28,258.08		JJ. Special Land purchase	
C. Total from consumers, \$442,085.93		Water treatment	
D. For hydrants,		KK. Total construction,	\$40,253.12
E. For Fountains,		LL. Unclassified expenses:	
F. For street watering,		Total	
G. For public buildings,		MM. Balance:	
See J.		(aa) Ordinary	*973,142.94
H. For miscellaneous uses,		(bb) Extra-ordinary	**1,688.82
I. General appropriations,		Total balance	\$974,831.76
J. Total from municipal departments,			
Water		N. Total	\$1,371,629.55
Misc.			
Included in B.			
K. From tax levy,			
L. From bond issue,			
M. From other sources, 44,869.17			
N. Total	\$1,371,629.55		

Disposition of balance:

O. Net cost of works to date	\$7,001,219.62
P. Bonded debt to date	436,000.00
Q. Value of sinking fund to date	0.00
R. Net debt to date	436,000.00
S. Average rate of interest	4.28%

* These balances have been diverted to General City Funds.

** New Bedford Water Works, C. 400, 1924.

ANNUAL REPORT

Water Department, for the year ending December 31, 1946

IN CITY COUNCIL

February 13, 1947.

Received, placed on file, and ordered printed in the city documents.

CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk

Attest :

CHARLES W. DEASY,
City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCES
AND AMENDMENTS
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL
of the
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

From July 1, 1946 to July 1, 1947



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CITY ORDINANCE**Relative to Certain Bequests****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE**AMENDING THE ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO THE
DESIGNATION AND EXPENDITURE OF CERTAIN
BEQUESTS**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 5 of Chapter 6 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out therefrom the word "and" in the 10th line thereof, and by adding after the words "Jonathan Bourne School Fund" in the 11th line of said Section 5 the following,— "and the bequest of Sarah E. Potter of \$250,000 as the Kempton Fund, the gift of Sarah E. Potter," so that said Section 5 as amended shall read as follows:

Sec. 5 Designation of certain bequests.

The bequest of Sylvia Ann Howland of \$100,000 shall be known and designated as the "Sylvia Ann Howland Educational and Library Fund"; the donation of George Howland, Jr., of \$1,600 as the "George Howland, Jr., Library Fund"; the bequest of Charles W. Morgan of \$1,000 as the "Charles W. Morgan Library Fund"; the donation of James B. Congdon of \$500 as the "James B. Congdon Library Fund"; the bequest of Oliver Crocker of \$1,000 as the "Oliver Crocker Library Fund"; the bequest of George O. Crocker of \$10,000 as the "George O. Crocker Library Fund"; the bequest of Elizabeth T. Wood of \$2,000 as the "Charles L. Wood Library Fund"; the donation of Jonathan Bourne of \$1,000 as the "Jonathan Bourne School Fund"; and the bequest of Sarah E. Potter of \$250,000 as the "Kempton Fund, the gift of Sarah E. Potter."

SECTION 2. Section 6 of Chapter 6 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by inserting after the words "Charles L. Wood Library Fund" in the sixth line thereof, the following "Kempton Fund, the gift of Sarah E. Potter," so that said Section 6 as amended shall read as follows:

Sec. 6. Expenditures of certain bequests.

The trustees of the Free Public Library, subject to the city's method governing the expenditure of city funds, shall have authority to expend such income as may be received from the "Charles W. Morgan Library Fund," "George Howland, Jr., Library Fund," "James B. Congdon Library Fund," "Oliver Crocker Library Fund," "George O. Crocker Library Fund," "Charles L. Wood Library Fund," "Kempton Fund, the gift of Sarah E. Potter," and so much of the income from the "Sylvia Ann Howland Educational and Library Fund" as may from time to time be directed by the city council; and the New Bedford School Committee, such income as may be received from the "Jonathan Bourne School Fund," and so much of the income from the "Sylvia Ann Howland Educational and Library Fund" as may from time to time be directed by the city council, all expenditures therefrom to be for the purposes and in strict accordance with the conditions, restrictions and limitations specified in the several bequests and donations.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 27, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 22, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved July 22, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Establishing Taxi Stand

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing a Taxi Stand on the east side of ACUSHNET AVENUE
at Baylies Square

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

Section 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands is hereby amended by adding at the end of the list of designated stands contained therein a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

ACUSHNET AVENUE, east side, from a point 122.33 feet north
of the northeast corner of Belleville Road and North Front
street, northerly 20 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with
provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws, (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 27, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 22, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved July 22, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

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CITY ORDINANCE

Abolishing Taxi Stand

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Abolishing Taxi Stand on the west side of FRONT STREET, south
of Commercial Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New
Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands is hereby amended
by striking out the following paragraph,—

FRONT STREET, west side, from 15 feet south of Commercial
Street southerly 100 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with
provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws, (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 27, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

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PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

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CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in COVE STREET, south side,
from Viall Street westerly 30 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(59) COVE STREET, south side, from Viall Street westerly 30 feet

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 27, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 22, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved July 22, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts August 6, 1946 — Permit No. 2738.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on RIVET STREET, north side, between
County and Hyacinth Streets except Sundays and public holidays

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as
follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(f) of Article V as contained in Chapter
15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the
end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(2) RIVET STREET, north side, from County Street to Hyacinth
Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with
the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 27, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 22, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved July 22, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massa-
chusetts August 6, 1946 — Permit No. 2738.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on PAGE STREET, west side, 30 feet on either side of the entrance to St. Luke's Hospital

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(185) PAGE STREET, west side, 30 feet on either side of the entrance to St. Luke's Hospital.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 27, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval July 22, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved July 22, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts August 6, 1946 — Permit No. 2738.

CITY ORDINANCE

Relative to Special Police Officers

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Section 13 of Chapter 19 of the New Bedford City Code
relative to Special Police Officers

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as
follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 13 of Chapter 19 of The Code of the City
of New Bedford is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said
section and by inserting in place thereof a new section which shall
read as follows,—

SECTION 13 Special Officers — protection of factory, mill or
theatre

Any citizen of the United States of good repute may be ap-
pointed by the Mayor as a special police officer, subject to confirmation
by the City Council, for the protection of property, or any factory, mill
or theatre. No person retired from the employment of the City of New
Bedford because of physical disability shall be eligible for appointment
as a special police officer.

This section shall not, however, prohibit the reappointment of
any person now holding a Special Police Officer's license who has been
retired by the city for physical disability.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with
the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Establishing Taxi Stand

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing a Taxi Stand on north side of TARKILN HILL ROAD, west of Belleville Avenue

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands, is hereby amended by adding at the end of the list of designated stands contained therein, a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

TARKILN HILL ROAD, north side, from a point 42.3 feet west of the intersection of curb lines of Belleville avenue and Tarkiln Hill Road, westerly 20 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Patty Wilcox Fund****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE**ACCEPTING THE BEQUEST OF PATTY WILCOX AND
DESIGNATING IT "PATTY WILCOX FUND"**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Chapter 6 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by inserting a new section to be known as Section 12, which shall read as follows:

Section 12, Patty Wilcox Fund.

The City of New Bedford accepts the legacy of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) bequeathed to the New Bedford Public Library under the eleventh clause of the will of the late Patty Wilcox of New Bedford, the income thereof to be paid to the Board of Trustees of the Free Public Library of said New Bedford for the purchase of books of travel.

The Board of Trustees of Bequests, Gifts and Trust Funds of the City of New Bedford is hereby authorized and directed to receive for said city the legacy bequeathed to the New Bedford Public Library by the eleventh clause of the aforementioned will and to manage, direct and control said legacy in accordance with the provisions of law and said will.

This bequest shall be known as the "Patty Wilcox Fund."

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained, CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing 1 hour parking regulations in OAK STREET, west side, from Allen Street northerly 76.85 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(60) OAK STREET, west side, from the intersection of curb lines of Oak Street and Allen Street, northerly 76.85 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 27, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts on September 18, 1946 — Permit No. 2763

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Amending an Ordinance designating ANGLE PARKING on COVE STREET, south side, between Rodney French Blvd. and McGurk Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 25 of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (9) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(9) COVE STREET, south side, from a point 75 feet from the intersection of curb lines of Rodney French Boulevard and Cove Street, easterly to McGurk Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts
on September 18, 1946 — Permit No. 2750

CITY ORDINANCE

Establishing Taxi Stand**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Amending an Ordinance designating a Taxi Stand on the south side of COVE STREET, east of Rodney French Boulevard

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands is hereby amended by striking out the following paragraph—

COVE STREET, south side, from 15 feet east of Rodney French Boulevard, easterly 45 feet

and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph—

COVE STREET, south side, from a point 30 feet east of the intersection of curb lines of Rodney French Boulevard and Cove Street, easterly 45 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on COVE ROAD, south side, from Margin Street to Shore Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(187) COVE ROAD, south side, from the west line of Margin Street extended, to Shore Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts
on September 18, 1946 — Permit No. 2750

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on COUNTY STREET, east side, from High to Kempton Streets

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (39) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows—

(39) COUNTY STREET, east side, from 30 feet north of Union Street to High Street; and from Kempton Street to North Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows—

(186) COUNTY STREET, east side, from High Street to Kempton Street.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts
on September 18, 1946 — Permit No. 2750

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in ELM STREET, from Second Street to Purchase Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (4) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows—

- (4) ELM STREET, north side, from Second Street to Acushnet Avenue; and from a point 152.5 feet west of the intersection of curb lines of Acushnet Avenue and Elm Street, to Purchase Street.

ELM STREET, south side, from Second Street to Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. Section 24(g) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (3) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows—

- (3) ELM STREET, north side, from the intersection of curb lines of Acushnet Avenue and Elm Street, westerly 112.2 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts on September 18, 1946 — Permit No. 2750

CITY ORDINANCE

Establishing Taxi Stand

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing a Taxi Stand on north side of ELM STREET, west
of Acushnet Avenue

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as
follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New
Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands, is hereby amended
by adding at the end of the list of designated stands contained therein,
a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

ELM STREET, north side, from a point 112.2 feet west of the
intersection of curb lines of Acushnet avenue and Elm street,
westerly 40 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with
the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, July 18, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval August 17, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved August 17, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Zoning Change No. 27

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the Zoning Classification of property on RODNEY FRENCH BLVD., east side, south of Brock Avenue from Residence B to Business

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. The property on the east side of Rodney French Blvd. from a point 123.39 feet south of the intersection of the southerly line of Brock Avenue with the easterly line of Rodney French Blvd. 40 feet southerly, now zoned as Residence B, is hereby reclassified and zoned for Business to the depth of the lot involved as shown on the plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 9, Nays 1.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 13, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved September 14, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Zoning Change No. 28

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the zoning classification in the block bounded by COURT, PARK, UNION and NEWTON STREETS, from Industrial A to Residence B

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows :—

SECTION 1. All of the property bounded by Court Street on the north, Park Street on the east, Union Street on the south and Newton Street on the west, which is now zoned for Industrial A purposes is hereby reclassified and zoned as a Residence B district as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, August 15, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 10, Nays 0.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 13, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved September 14, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Location of Pumps and Dispensing of Petroleum Products

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

**RELATIVE TO LOCATION OF PUMPS AND PROHIBIT-
ING DISPENSING OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS OVER
SIDEWALKS**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 222a of Chapter 7 of The Code of the City of New Bedford, as most recently amended June 13, 1946, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph, which shall read as follows,—

“No pump, pipe or structure of any kind for the distribution of petroleum products shall henceforth be erected or installed unless there are parking facilities for vehicles to be serviced on private property, and the dispensing of said products over sidewalks and travelled ways by the use of hose, swinging arms or other devices is hereby prohibited, except where such use is absolutely required by installations made prior to August 1, 1946.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 43.

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 12, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 26, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 30, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved October 8, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in PURCHASE STREET,
west side, from School Street southerly 110 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:-

SECTION 1. Section 2 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,-

(188) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the south curb line of School Street with the west curb line of Purchase Street southerly 110 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 12, 1946

Passed to a second reading CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 26, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 30, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved October 8, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth
of Massachusetts on October 29, 1946 -- Permit No. 2781.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in WALNUT STREET, north side, from Water Street easterly 90 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:-

SECTION 1. Section 24(d) as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,-

(22) WALNUT STREET, north side, from the intersection of the east curb line of Water Street with the north curb line of Walnut Street, easterly 90 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 12, 1946

Passed to a second reading CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 26, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 30, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved October 8, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on October 29, 1946 -- Permit No. 2781.

CITY ORDINANCE**Frederick Slocum Allen Fund****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six

AN ORDINANCE**FREDERICK SLOCUM ALLEN FUND**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Chapter 6 of The Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by inserting a new section to be known as Section 13, which shall read as follows:—

SECTION 13.**FREDERICK SLOCUM ALLEN FUND.**

The City of New Bedford accepts the legacy of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) bequeathed to the City of New Bedford in trust for the Free Public Library under paragraph 6, clause 2 of the will of George H. H. Allen, the income thereof to be paid to the Board of Trustees of the Free Public Library of the City of New Bedford for the purchase of books and articles of interest having reference to the whaling industry.

The Board of Trustees of Bequests, Gifts and Trust Funds of the City of New Bedford is hereby authorized and directed to receive for said city the legacy bequeathed to the City of New Bedford by the sixth clause of the aforementioned will and to manage, direct and control said legacy in accordance with the provisions of law and said will.

This bequest shall be known as the Frederick Slocum Allen Fund, and all additions made to the library by reason of this fund shall be suitably marked showing the sources of the purchase from said fund.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 14, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved October 14, 1946.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Filling Station Sites

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Amending the City Code - Relative to petitions for approval of filling station sites.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 222a of Chapter 7 of The Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following,—

“In all cases where unfavorable action has been taken by the city council on a petition or request for approval of a site for filling station purposes, no new petition or request for approval of the same site, or any portion thereof, shall be received or considered within one year after the date of such unfavorable action.”

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Restricting Use of Sound Trucks****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Section 9 of Chapter 16 of The Code of the City of New Bedford relative to Loud speakers, sound trucks, etc.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 9 of Chapter 16 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following,—

The use or operation of any sound producing apparatus from a licensed sound truck or vehicle of any description is strictly prohibited, except during such time as said licensed vehicle is actually in motion.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 12, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, September 26, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval September 30, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk
Disapproved by the Mayor October 10, 1946.

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

On the question, "Shall the ordinance be passed to be ordained, notwithstanding the disapproval of the Mayor?" the vote was Yeas 11, Nays 0.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on PARK STREET, west side, north of Union Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(d) as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (23) PARK STREET, west side, from a point 60 feet north of the intersection of the north curb line of Union Street with the west curb line of Park Street, northerly 75 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Nov. 27, 1946 — Permit No. 2802

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on south side of BULLARD STREET, from Acushnet Avenue westerly 150 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows: —

SECTION 1. Section 24(O) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (3) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (3) BULLARD STREET, south side, from Acushnet Avenue westerly 150 feet, between 6 A.M. and 12 noon of every day except Sundays.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts November 27, 1946 — Permit No. 2802.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on BROOK STREET, west side, from a point opposite the north curb line of Nye Street northerly to Deane Street.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (147) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(147) BROOK STREET, west side, from a point opposite the north curb line of Nye Street northerly to Deane Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946.

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor.

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts November 27, 1946 — Permit No. 2802.

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on WASHINGTON STREET, north side, from Purchase Street to County Street.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (189) WASHINGTON STREET, north side, from the intersection of the west curb line of Purchase Street with the north curb line of Washington Street, westerly to the intersection of the east curb line of County Street with the north curb line of Washington Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts November 27, 1946 — Permit No. 2802.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic and Abolishing Taxi Stand****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on the south side of KEMPTON STREET, from Reed Street to County Street and abolishing Taxi Stand on south side of KEMPTON STREET, west of Cottage Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (41) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(41) KEMPTON STREET, north side, from Cottage Street to Chancery Street

SECTION 2. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands is hereby amended by striking out the following paragraph,—

KEMPTON STREET, south side, from a point 196.20 feet west of Cottage Street westerly 33 feet.

SECTION 3. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(190) KEMPTON STREET, south side, from the intersection of the east curb line of Reed Street with the south curb line of Kempton Street easterly to the intersection of the west curb line of County Street with the south curb line of Kempton Street.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Paassed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Dept. of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts November 27, 1946. Permit No. 2802.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in RIVET STREET, south side, between County Street and Purchase Street.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(e) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (2) RIVET STREET, south side, from the east curb line of County Street easterly a distance of 191 feet to the easterly curb line of Purchase Street extended.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 10, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, October 24, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval October 26, 1946.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved November 2, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Nov. 27, 1946 — Permit No. 2802.

CITY ORDINANCE

Florence L. Waite Fund

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Accepting the Legacy and Bequest of Florence L. Waite and Designating it the "Florence L. Waite Fund."

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Chapter 6 of The Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by inserting a new section to be known as Section 14, which shall read as follows:

SECTION 14. FLORENCE L. WAITE FUND

The City of New Bedford accepts the legacy of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) under the twenty-sixth clause, and the bequest of one-eighth of all the rest, residue and remainder under the twenty-eighth clause of the will of Florence L. Waite, late of New Bedford, Massachusetts.

The Trustees of the New Bedford Free Public Library are hereby authorized and directed to receive for the City of New Bedford the aforesaid legacy and bequest, to be used and expended under the direction of said Trustees for the benefit of the said Library.

This legacy and bequest shall be known as the "Florence L. Waite Fund."

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws.

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 14, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 3, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 4, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic**

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on SECOND STREET, west side, from a point 151 feet north of William Street northerly 53 feet.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (47) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(47) SECOND STREET, west side, from a point 151 feet north of the intersection of the north curb line of William Street with the west curb line of Second Street northerly 53 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts January 7, 1947 — Permit, No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations on BONNEY STREET, both sides, from Nelson Street northerly 375 feet.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(e) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(3) BONNEY STREET, both sides, from the north curb line of Nelson Street extended, northerly 375 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts January 7, 1947 — Permit No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking in DUFFEE COURT, north side, from Summer Street to Myrtle Street.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(191) DUFFEE COURT, north side, from the intersection of the east curb line of Summer Street with the north curb line of Duffee Court easterly to the intersection of the west curb line of Myrtle Street with the north curb line of Duffee Court.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts January 7, 1947 — Permit No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Designating **ANGLE PARKING** on the east side of the island at **BAYLIES SQUARE**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 25 of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (10) **BAYLIES SQUARE**, on the east side of the island, from a point 14 feet south of the intersection of curb lines on the north side of the island to a point 8 feet north of the intersection of curb lines on the south side of the island.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946.

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts January 7, 1947 — Permit No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing 5 minute parking regulations on ELM STREET,
south side, between Pleasant Street and Sixth Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (7) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (7) ELM STREET, south side, from the intersection of the west curb line of Purchase Street with the south curb line of Elm Street westerly to the intersection of the east curb line of Pleasant Street with the south curb line of Elm Street.

SECTION 2. Section 24(i) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (2) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (2) ELM STREET, both sides, from the intersection of the westerly curb lines of Pleasant Street with the northerly and southerly curb lines of Elm Street westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb lines of Sixth Street with the northerly and southerly curb lines of Elm Street.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts January 7, 1947 — Permit No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on ORCHARD STREET, east side, south of
Katharine StreetBe it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (129) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(129) ORCHARD STREET, east side, from a point 778 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of Katharine Street with the easterly curb line of Orchard Street southerly 129 feet; and from a point 1031 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of Katharine Street with the easterly curb line of Orchard Street southerly 52 feet; and from a point 1276 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of Katharine Street with the easterly curb line of Orchard Street southerly 40 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts — January 7, 1947 — Permit No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on SECOND STREET, east side, from a point 194 feet north of the intersection of High and Second Streets northerly 65 feet.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(d) as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(24) SECOND STREET, east side, from a point 194 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of High Street with the easterly curb line of Second Street, northerly 65 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts January 7, 1947 — Permit No. 2833.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on COTTAGE STREET at DARTMOUTH STREET and on GRINNELL STREET at DARTMOUTH STREET.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

COTTAGE STREET at DARTMOUTH STREET—a sign
to face drivers approaching Dartmouth Street.

GRINNELL STREET at DARTMOUTH STREET—a sign
to face drivers approaching Dartmouth Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, November 29, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval December 16, 1946.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved December 17, 1946. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved By the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2876.

Traffic Sign Permits Nos. 3432 and 3433.

CITY ORDINANCE

Abolishing Taxi Stand**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Abolishing Taxi Stand on PURCHASE STREET, east side, from
North Street northerly 80 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New
Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands is hereby amended
by striking out the following paragraph,—

PURCHASE STREET, east side, from North Street northerly 80
feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with
the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 13, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Payroll Deductions for Blue Cross

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

**PROVIDING FOR PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS FOR PREMIUMS
UNDER A CONTRACT BY A NON-PROFIT HOSPITAL
SERVICE CORPORATION**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Chapter 2 of The Code of The City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding after section 17 a new section which shall be known as section 17a, which shall read as follows:

Section 17a. Payroll Deductions.

Deductions on payroll schedules may be made from the salary, wages or like remuneration of any municipal employee of any amount which such employee may specify in writing to the city auditor for the payment of premiums under a contract issued to him as a subscriber by a non-profit hospital service corporation.

Any such authorization may be withdrawn by the employee by giving at least 60 days notice in writing of such withdrawal to the city auditor.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws. (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk
Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Disapproved by the Mayor.

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

On the question, "Shall the ordinance be passed to be ordained, notwithstanding the disapproval of the Mayor?" the vote was Yeas 10, Nays 1.

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

Restricting traffic in CHERRY STREET, from South Sixth Street to County Street to ONE WAY, WESTERLY

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 37 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(19) CHERRY STREET, from South Sixth Street to County Street, westerly

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 13, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 4, 1947 — Permit No. 2869.

CITY ORDINANCE

Garbage Disposal

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO THE DISPOSAL OF
GARBAGE

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION I. Chapter 12 of The Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by adding after Section 2 a new section to be known as Section 2a, which shall read as follows:—

Section 2a. Burning of Garbage.

No person, firm or corporation, including the city of New Bedford, its agents or employees, shall dispose of any garbage or refuse or any substances which are offensive when burned, by burning the same anywhere within the city limits except in the incinerator at the municipal garbage plant.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 12, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Action postponed until the next regular meeting of the City Council.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Disapproved by the Mayor.

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

On the question, "Shall the ordinance be passed to be ordained, notwithstanding the disapproval of the Mayor?" the vote was Yeas 10, Nays 1.

Charles W. Deasy, City Clerk

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on COGGESHALL STREET at ASHLEY BOULEVARD

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

COGGESHALL STREET at ASHLEY BOULEVARD—a sign to face east bound drivers and a sign to face west bound drivers on Coggeshall Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved By the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3434.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on BEDFORD STREET at COUNTY STREET

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

BEDFORD STREET at COUNTY STREET—a sign to face east bound drivers and a sign to face west bound drivers on Bedford Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3437.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on ASH STREET at HAWTHORN STREET

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

ASH STREET at HAWTHORN STREET—a sign to face north bound drivers and a sign to face south bound drivers on Ash Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3436.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on WASHINGTON STREET at ORCHARD STREET

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

WASHINGTON STREET at ORCHARD STREET—a sign to face east bound drivers and a sign to face west bound drivers on Washington Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3435.

CITY ORDINANCE**Authorizing Stop Signs****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE**Authorizing STOP signs on SHAWMUT AVENUE at PARKER STREET**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

SHAWMUT AVENUE at PARKER STREET—a sign to face north bound drivers and a sign to face south bound drivers on Shawmut Avenue

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3440.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on PARKER STREET at COTTAGE STREET

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

PARKER STREET at COTTAGE STREET—a sign to face east bound drivers and a sign to face west bound drivers on Parker Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3441.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing a STOP sign on REED STREET, north of HAWTHORN STREET

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

REED STREET north of HAWTHORN STREET—a sign to face south bound drivers on Reed Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3439.

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on PARK STREET at COURT STREET

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

PARK STREET at COURT STREET—a sign to face north bound drivers and a sign to face south bound drivers on Park Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, December 26, 1946

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 9, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval January 11, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved January 15, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts February 18, 1947—Permit No. 2877.

Traffic Sign Permit No. 3438.

CITY ORDINANCE**Abolishing Taxi Stands****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD****In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven
AN ORDINANCE**

Abolishing 11 Taxi Stands in various streets — not being used at the present time

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 12 as contained in Chapter 21 of the New Bedford City Code relative to Public Taxi Stands is hereby amended by striking out the following paragraphs,—

ACUSHNET AVENUE, west side, from 33½ feet north of Query Street northerly 40 feet.

ACUSHNET AVENUE, west side, from 62 feet south of Kenyon Street southerly 17 feet.

BOLTON STREET, east side, from south line of Rivet Street (as extended from the west line of Bolton Street) southerly 100 feet.

COGGESHALL STREET, north side, from a point .169 feet east of Acushnet Avenue easterly 29 feet.

COVE STREET, north side, from 30 feet west of First Street westerly 15 feet.

DARTMOUTH STREET, east side, from a point 10 feet south of Sidney Street southerly 20 feet.

DEANE STREET, south side, west of Acushnet Avenue 60 feet.

DURFEE STREET, south side, from a point 10 feet east of the east end of No. 7 Fire Station (Main building) easterly 60 feet

PURCHASE STREET, west side, north of Weld Street 150 feet.

PURCHASE STREET, east side, from a point 32 feet south of Logan Street southerly 20 feet.

PURCHASE STREET, east side, from a point 20 feet south of North Street southerly 40 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 23, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval February 15, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved February 19, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Blowing Automobile Horns

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting the blowing of automobile horns between the hours
of 11 P. M. and 7 A. M.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Chapter 16 of the City Code is hereby amended
by adding after Section 2 a new Section which shall read as follows—

SECTION 2A UNNECESSARY BLOWING OF AUTO-
MOBILE HORNS

The blowing of automobile horns between the hours of
11 P. M. and 7 A. M. except in cases of emergency is here-
by prohibited.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance
with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, January 23, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval February 15, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved February 19, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY
City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing no parking regulations in ASHLEY BOULEVARD, both sides, between Weld Street and Nash Road, at bus stops

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows: —

SECTION 1. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

(192) ASHLEY BOULEVARD, east side, from the intersection of the easterly curb line of Ashley Boulevard with the southerly curb line of the following named streets southerly a distance of 60 feet —

Coggeshall Street, Sawyer Street, Tallman Street, Bullard Street, Coffin Avenue, Collette Street, Earle Street, Tinkham Street and Nash Road.

ASHLEY BOULEVARD, west side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Ashley Boulevard with the northerly curb line of the following named streets northerly a distance of 60 feet —

Hathaway Street, Davis Street, Phillips Avenue, Deane Street, Nye Street, Holly Street, Sawyer Street, Bentley Street (from the north curb line extended), Cedar Grove Street and Weld Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 27, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval March 1, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved March 3, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts March 25, 1947 — Permit No. 2918

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing no parking regulations in UNION STREET, north side, east of Purchase Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows: —

SECTION 1. Section 24 (a) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (11) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

- (11) UNION STREET, north side, from Second Street to a point 45 feet east of Acushnet Avenue; and from Acushnet Avenue to a point 70 feet east of the east curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

- (193) UNION STREET, north side, from the east curb line of Purchase Street easterly 70 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 27, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval March 1, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved March 3, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts March 25, 1947 — Permit No. 2918.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in BELLEVILLE AVENUE, east side, south of Hadley Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows: —

SECTION 1. Section 24 (b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows: —

- (61) BELLEVILLE AVENUE, east side, from a point 111 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of Hadley Street with the easterly curb line of Belleville Avenue southerly 88 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 27, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval March 1, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved March 3, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts March 25, 1947 — Permit No. 2918.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on SOUTH WATER STREET, east side, from Cove Street to Potomska Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows: —

SECTION 1. Section 24 (b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (31) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows. —

- (31) SOUTH WATER STREET, east side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Potomska Street with the easterly curb line of South Water Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Grinnell Street with the easterly curb line of South Water Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

- (194) SOUTH WATER STREET, east side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Cove Street with the easterly curb line of South Water Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Potomska Street with the easterly curb line of South Water Street.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.)

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 13, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, February 27, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval March 1, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved March 3, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts March 25, 1947 — Permit No. 2918.

CITY ORDINANCE**Zoning Change No. 29****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Extending the present Business Zone on the north side of TARKILN HILL ROAD from Church Street westerly to the Railroad

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. The present Business Zone on the northwest corner of Tarkiln Hill Road and Church Street is hereby extended westerly on the north side of Tarkiln Hill Road from the aforementioned locus to the Railroad to the depth of the lots facing Tarkiln Hill Road as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 11, Nays 0.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.
PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 22, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Zoning Change No. 30

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Extending the present Business Zone on west side of DIMAN STREET south of Tinkham Street southerly to Earle Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. The present Business Zone on the west side of Diman Street beginning at a point 95 feet south of the south line of Tinkham Street is hereby extended southerly on the west side of Diman Street to the north line of Earle Street to the depth of the lots facing Diman Street as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 11, Nays 0.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.
PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 22, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Raising Minimum on Bids**

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Chapter 9 of the City Code so as to permit purchases up to \$50.00 without securing bids.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Paragraph (c) of Section 8 of Chapter 9 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the word "twenty-five" in the second line thereof and inserting in place thereof the word "fifty."

SECTION 2. Section 9 of Chapter 9 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the word "twenty-five" in the second line thereof and inserting in place thereof the word "fifty."

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 12, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing no parking regulations in WILLIAM STREET, south side, from Hall's Court to Acushnet Avenue

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (a) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (7) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(7) WILLIAM STREET, south side, from Second Street to Acushnet Avenue; and from Hall's Court to a point 43 feet east of Purchase Street; and from Purchase Street to Pleasant Street.

north side, from Second Street to Acushnet Avenue; and from a point 65 feet west of Acushnet Avenue to Pleasant Street;.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (184) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(184) WILLIAM STREET, south side, from Purchase Street easterly 43 feet; and from Hall's Court to Acushnet Avenue.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 22, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts May 6, 1947 — Permit No. 2961.

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations in HAMILTON STREET, north side, from 90 feet east of Water Street to Front Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (g) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(4) HAMILTON STREET, north side, from a point 90 feet east of the intersection of the easterly curb line of Water Street with the northerly curb line of Hamilton Street easterly to the intersection of the westerly curb line of Front Street with the northerly curb line of Hamilton Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 22, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

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CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on MORGAN STREET, south side, from
County Street westerly to Cottage Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (51) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(51) MORGAN STREET, south side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of County Street with the southerly curb line of Morgan Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of Cottage Street with the southerly curb line of Morgan Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 22, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

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CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing no parking regulations in MORGAN STREET, north side, between County Street and Cottage Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the following paragraph,—

(97) MORGAN STREET, north side, from a point 311 feet west of County Street, westerly 100 feet.

SECTION 2. Section 24 (e) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(4) MORGAN STREET, north side, from a point 320 feet westerly from the intersection of the west curb line of County Street with the north curb line of Morgan Street, westerly 100 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

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CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing parking regulations on SOUTH FIRST STREET,
west side, from Spring Street southerly 41 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (e) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(5) SOUTH FIRST STREET, west side, from the intersection of the west curb line of South First Street with the south curb line of Spring Street, southerly 41 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval April 12, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved April 22, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

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CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Zoning Change No. 31

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the zoning classification of property on MT. PLEASANT STREET, west side, between Blower Street and Rayno Street, from Residence B to Business

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. The property on the west side of Mt. Pleasant Street between Blower Street and Rayno Street to the depth of the lots facing Mt. Pleasant Street, which is now zoned for Residence B purposes is hereby reclassified and zoned as a Business district as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 24, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 10, Nays 1.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 12, 1947.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved May 12, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE

Zoning Change No. 32

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the zoning classification of property on TARKLIN HILL ROAD, north side, between Lambeth Street and Dana Street, from Residence B to Business

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows :—

SECTION 1. The property on the north side of Tarklin Hill Road between Lambeth Street and Dana Street to the depth of the lots facing Tarklin Hill Road, which is now zoned for Residence B purposes is hereby reclassified and zoned as a Business district as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 24, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 11, Nays 0.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 12, 1947.
CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved May 12, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Zoning Change No. 33**

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Extending the present Business Zone from its terminus south of Wood Street on the west side of RIVER ROAD, southerly to Howard Avenue, to the depth of the lots facing River Road.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. The Business zone now existing on the west side of River Road, south of Wood Street, is hereby extended southerly to Howard Avenue to the depth of the lots facing River Road, as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 24, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 11, Nays 0.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 12, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk.

Approved May 12, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Zoning Change No. 34****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the zoning classification in the block bounded by HILLMAN, JAMES, NORTH and LINDSEY STREETS; and also in the block bounded by HILLMAN, TREMONT, NORTH and JAMES STREETS, from Residence B and Business to Business

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. All of the property in the block bounded on the north by Hillman Street, on the east by James Street, on the south by North Street, and on the west by Lindsey Street, which is now zoned in part for Business and Residence B purposes is hereby reclassified and zoned for Business as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 2. All of the property in the block bounded on the north by Hillman Street, on the east by Tremont Street, on the south by North Street and on the west by James Street, which is now zoned in part for Business and Residence B purposes is hereby reclassified and zoned for Business as shown on a plan on file in the office of the City Clerk and the Zoning Map adopted as part of Chapter 27 of the Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended to conform with said reclassification.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 24, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to be ordained. Yeas 11, Nays 0.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 12, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved May 12, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking in County Street, east side, from Cherry to Russell streets; and in Hawthorn Street, north side, from Orchard to County streets.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof two new paragraphs which shall read as follows,—

(195) COUNTY STREET, east side, from the intersection of the north curb line of Russell street with the east curb line of County street northerly to the intersection of the south curb line of Cherry street with the east curb line of County street.

(196) HAWTHORN STREET, north side, from the intersection of the west curb line of County street with the north curb line of Hawthorn street westerly to the intersection of the east curb line of Orchard street with the north curb line of Hawthorn street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 24, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 12, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved May 12, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts — May 20, 1947 — Permit No. 2989.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing No Parking regulations in PURCHASE STREET, RIVET STREET, and ACUSHNET AVENUE at Bus Stops

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof several new paragraphs which shall read as follows, —

- (198) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Rivet Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly 70 feet.
- (199) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of Weld Street with the westerly curb of line of Purchase Street, southerly 70 feet.
- (200) RIVET STREET, south side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of First Street with the southerly curb line of Rivet Street, westerly 70 feet.
- (201) RIVET STREET, north side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of First Street with the northerly curb line of Rivet Street, westerly 70 feet.
- (202) ACUSHNET AVENUE, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Potomska Street with the westerly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, northerly 50 feet.
- (203) ACUSHNET AVENUE, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of Cedar Grove Street with the easterly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, southerly 70 feet.
- (204) ACUSHNET AVENUE, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of Coggeshall Street with the easterly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, southerly 70 feet.

- (205) ACUSHNET AVENUE, east side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Tarklin Hill Road with the easterly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, northerly 50 feet.
- (206) ACUSHNET AVENUE, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Sawyer Street with the westerly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, northerly 55 feet.
- (207) ACUSHNET AVENUE, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Coggeshall Street with the westerly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, northerly 70 feet.
- (208) ACUSHNET AVENUE, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Cedar Grove Street with the westerly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, northerly 70 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws. (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved May 27, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts June 18, 1947 — Permit No. 3009.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PURCHASE STREET, west side, from a point 85 feet north of William Street to Mill Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (a) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (5) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

- (5) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Mechanics Lane with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Elm Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (109) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

- (109) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of High Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Mill Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts June 18, 1947 — Permit No. 3009.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on ACUSHNET AVENUE, east side, between Walnut Street and Pearl Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (1) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

(1) ACUSHNET AVENUE, east side, from a point 224 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of Walnut Street with the easterly curb line of Acushnet Avenue, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Pearl Street with the easterly curb line of Acushnet Avenue.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts June 18, 1947 — Permit No. 3009.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PURCHASE STREET, east side, from Elm Street to Middle Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (18) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

(18) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Elm Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to a point 100 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of Middle Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (24) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

(24) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of Middle Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, southerly 100 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

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CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven
AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PURCHASE STREET, east side, from
Middle Street to North Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (20) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

(20) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from Middle Street northerly 66 feet; and from a point 88 feet north of Middle Street to a point 75 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of High Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street; and from the intersection of the northerly curb line of High Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to a point 75 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of Mill Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, and from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Mill Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to a point 60 feet south of North Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof two new paragraphs which shall read as follows,—

(209) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of High Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, southerly 75 feet.

(210) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of Mill Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, southerly 75 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts June 18, 1947 — Permit No. 3009.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PURCHASE STREET, both sides, from Union Street to William Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraphs numbered (2) and inserting in place thereof 2 new paragraphs which shall read as follows, —

(2) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from a point 196 feet south of the intersection of the southerly curb line of William Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, southerly to the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street.

PURCHASE STREET, west side, from William Street southerly 69 feet, and from a point 101 feet south of William Street southerly to a point 196 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (22) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows, —

(22) PURCHASE STREET, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of William Street with the easterly curb line of Purchase Street, southerly 196 feet.

PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly 196 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

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CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Abolishing Angle Parking on ROCKDALE AVENUE, west side,
from Kempton Street to Mill Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 25 of Article V as contained in Chapter
15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking
out the following paragraph, —

(5) ROCKDALE AVENUE, west side, from Kempton
Street to Mill Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance
with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Common-
wealth of Massachusetts June 18, 1947 — Permit No. 3009.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on SCHOOL STREET, north side, from Second Street to County Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24 (b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (21) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows. —

(21) SCHOOL STREET, north side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Second Street with the northerly curb line of School Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of Acushnet Avenue with the northerly curb line of School Street; and from a point 50 feet west of the intersection of the westerly curb line of Acushnet Avenue with the northerly curb line of School Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of County Street with the northerly curb line of School Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23 (c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows. —

(197) SCHOOL STREET, north side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Acushnet Avenue with the northerly curb line of School Street, westerly 50 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts June 18, 1947 — Permit No. 3009.

CITY ORDINANCE**Amending Building Code****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE**Amending Ordinance Relative to Building Code**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 175 of Chapter 7 of The Code of the City of New Bedford is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph titled "Apartment" and also the paragraph titled "Filling Station" and inserting in place thereof the following two paragraphs—

Section 175: Terms Defined.

Apartment

That part of a building consisting of one or more rooms and designed to be used exclusively for the residence of one family.

Filling station.

A building or premises used or designed to be used in any connection with the storage or sale of volatile inflammable liquids.

SECTION 2. Section 176(c) of said Chapter 7 is hereby amended by changing the figure "8" to "10" in the 4th line of the last paragraph.

SECTION 3. Section 180(c) of said Chapter 7 — Repeal seventh paragraph.

SECTION 4. Section 182(a) of said Chapter 7 — Repeal and insert the following—

Section 182. Rooms of dwellings.

(a) No cellar or basement of any building shall be used for living or sleeping purposes, except that a recreation or playroom is permitted.

SECTION 5. Section 186(a) of said Chapter 7 — Repeal and insert the following—

Section 186. Stairways.

(a) All buildings having an area of more than 2,000 square feet on any floor, or containing more than six rooms or offices above the first story shall have not less than two stairways. An elevator shall not be considered as an equivalent to a stairway or exit. Except as provided in Par. (d) below, all stairways shall not be less than 3 feet in width, separated from each other as far as practicable and each accessible from all parts of the building. At least one flight shall continue to the roof.

SECTION 6. Section 188(b) third paragraph of said Chapter 7 — Repeal and insert the following—

Section 188. Horizontal exits.

Outside or vestibule doors, of all buildings accommodating 50 or more persons, shall open outwardly, provided, however, that this requirement shall not prohibit the use of sliding or folding doors or gates, which are in addition to the required exit doors, and which may be used only for closing the building after business hours.

SECTION 7. Section 189(a) of said Chapter 7 — Repeal and insert the following —

Section 189. Quality of materials

(a) All materials used in construction shall be of quality suitable for their respective uses and satisfactory to the superintendent of buildings. New or improved materials not described in this section may be permitted by the Superintendent of Buildings, when proof is given of satisfactory tests made by an authoritative laboratory as to the durability and fire resistant qualities of the product, and that the unit working stresses of new structural material shall be limited in accordance with Section 191 (g).

SECTION 8. Section 199 (b) first paragraph of said Chapter 7— Repeal and insert the following—

Section 199. Wood construction

(b) All sills and girders may be of solid material and if laminated shall be fabricated in a manner approved by the Superintendent of Buildings. Sills shall have not less than six inches of width bearing on the wall, and shall be not less than four inches thick. Their area of cross section shall be not less than 24 square inches.

SECTION 9. Section 217 (d) of said Chapter 7 — Amended by adding the following two paragraphs—

Section 217. Heating apparatus.

(d) All boilers, furnaces, ovens and other apparatus used for generating heat, shall be separated from other parts of a building by walls and ceiling of incombustible material or fire protected in an approved manner, when in the opinion of the Inspector of Buildings, the use or occupancy of the building so requires.

A heating boiler or furnace shall be placed not nearer to a combustible partition, than four feet on the sides and rear and six feet on the front, unless the partition is covered with approved incombustible material in a manner satisfactory to the Inspector of Buildings.

SECTION 10. Section 219 (a) of said Chapter 7 — Repeal and insert the following—

Section 219. Hotels, apartments and dwellings.

(a) In all residence buildings in which there is a separate apartment above the second story, the stairs from the cellar or basement to the floor next above shall be enclosed with walls constructed either of 8 inch brick, 6 inch two cell terra cotta, 5 inch reinforced

concrete, 8 inch cement blocks or a fire protected wooden partition of 2 inch by 4 inch studding, covered on both sides with wire lath and cement plaster or equal. The enclosure shall be provided with a self closing fire door and frame. In all buildings as specified above in this paragraph, the soffits of all stairs, the underside of all landings and the stair side of all partitions, except external walls, in all stairways and stair halls shall be metal lathed and plastered. A wood wainscoting may be used in such stairways and stair halls, provided it is not over four feet high and metal lathed and plastered behind down to the floor line or to the stair stringers.

SECTION 11. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 26, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 2, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PLEASANT STREET, west side, from William Street to Elm Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(a) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (2) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows:—

- (2) PLEASANT STREET, west side, from a point 75 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of William Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Elm Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (214) PLEASANT STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of William Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street, northerly 75 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PURCHASE STREET, west side, from School Street to Union Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (16) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (16) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from a point 84 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of School Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (212) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of School Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly 84 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PLEASANT STREET, west side, from School Street to William Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (13) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (13) PLEASANT STREET, west side, from 75 feet north of School Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street; and from a point 85 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of William Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street.

SECTION 2. Section 24(d) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out in said section the paragraph numbered (11).

SECTION 3. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (213) PLEASANT STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Pleasant Street, northerly 85 feet.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws, (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on UNION STREET, south side, from Purchase Street to County Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (6) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (6) UNION STREET, south side, from a point 100 feet west of the intersection of the westerly curb line of Purchase Street with the southerly curb line of Union Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of Pleasant Street with the southerly curb line of Union Street; and from a point 45 feet west of Pleasant Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of Sixth Street with the southerly curb line of Union Street; and from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Seventh Street with the southerly curb line of Union Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of County Street with the southerly curb line of Union Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (38) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (38) UNION STREET, south side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Purchase Street with the southerly curb line of Union Street, westerly 100 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on PLEASANT STREET, east side, from
Spring Street to Kempton Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford
as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (8) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (8) PLEASANT STREET, east side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Spring Street with the easterly curb line of Pleasant Street, northerly 111 feet; and from Union Street northerly 77 feet; and from a point 112 feet north of Union Street, northerly to Kempton Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (211) PLEASANT STREET, east side, from the intersection of the southerly curb line of Union Street with the easterly curb line of Pleasant Street, southerly 95 feet.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on PURCHASE STREET, west side, from William Street northerly to Mechanics Lane

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (23) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (23) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of William Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Mechanics Lane with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on SPRING STREET, south side, from Second Street to County Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (1) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (1) SPRING STREET, north side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Spring Street with the westerly curb line of Purchase Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of Sixth Street with the northerly curb line of Spring Street.

SPRING STREET, south side, from a point 100 feet west of the intersection of the westerly curb line of Purchase Street with the southerly curb line of Spring Street, westerly to a point 33 feet west of Pleasant Street; and from a point 63 feet west of Pleasant Street to the intersection of the easterly curb line of Sixth Street with the southerly curb line of Spring Street.

SECTION 2. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (34) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (34) SPRING STREET, south side, from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Second Street with the southerly curb line of Spring Street, westerly to a point 100 feet westerly from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Purchase Street with the southerly curb line of Spring Street; and from a point 33 feet west of Pleasant Street westerly 30 feet; and from the intersection of the westerly curb line of Sixth Street with the southerly curb line of Spring Street, westerly to the intersection of the easterly curb line of County Street with the southerly curb line of Spring Street.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 22, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 14, 1947.

PAULINE C. ROBERTS, Asst. City Clerk

Approved June 16, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 1, 1947 — Permit No. 3023.

CITY ORDINANCE .

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Repealing An Ordinance establishing parking regulations in PURCHASE STREET, west side, from School Street southerly 110 feet

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by repealing the paragraph numbered (188) which reads as follows,—

(188) PURCHASE STREET, west side, from the intersection of the south curb line of School Street with the west curb line of Purchase Street southerly 110 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 26, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 28, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

FAULINE C. ROBERTS
Asst. City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 22, 1947 — Permit No. 3034.

CITY ORDINANCE

Regulating Traffic

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on SAWYER STREET, south side, from Acushnet Avenue westerly and on SAWYER STREET, north side, from Acushnet Avenue easterly

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(215) SAWYER STREET, south side, from the intersection of the west curb line of Acushnet Avenue with the south curb line of Sawyer Street, westerly 50 feet.

SAWYER STREET, north side, from the intersection of the east curb line of Acushnet Avenue with the north curb line of Sawyer Street, easterly 70 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 26, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 28, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

PAULINE C. ROBERTS
Asst. City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 22, 1947 — Permit No. 3034.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating parking on SECOND STREET, west side, north of
Elm Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(e) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

- (6) SECOND STREET, west side, from a point 65 feet north of the intersection of the northerly curb line of Elm Street with the westerly curb line of Second Street, northerly 35 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 26, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 28, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

PAULINE C. ROBERTS
Asst. City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 22, 1947 — Permit No. 3034.

CITY ORDINANCE**Regulating Traffic****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting parking on SECOND STREET, east side, between Union Street and Middle Street

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (44) which reads as follows,—

(44) SECOND STREET, east side, from Middle Street to Elm Street

SECTION 2. Section 24(b) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph numbered (23) and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(23) SECOND STREET, west side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the westerly curb line of Second Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of William Street with the westerly curb line of Second Street.

SECTION 3. Section 23(c) of Article V as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

(216) SECOND STREET, east side, from the intersection of the northerly curb line of Union Street with the easterly curb line of Second Street, northerly to the intersection of the southerly curb line of Middle Street with the easterly curb line of Second Street.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 26, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 28, 1947.

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

PAULINE C. ROBERTS
Asst. City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 22, 1947 — Permit No. 3034.

CITY ORDINANCES

CITY ORDINANCE

Authorizing Stop Signs

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing STOP signs on DARTMOUTH STREET at ROCKDALE AVENUE

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 36 of Article VI as contained in Chapter 15 of the New Bedford City Code is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph which shall read as follows,—

DARTMOUTH STREET at ROCKDALE AVENUE — a sign to face north bound drivers and a sign to face south bound drivers on Dartmouth Street

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 12, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, June 26, 1947

Passed to be ordained. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 1947

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved June 28, 1947. ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest: CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts July 29, 1947.

Permit No. 3042; traffic sign permit No. 3516.

CITY ORDINANCE**Amending Taxi Ordinance****CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Seven

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Ordinance Relative to Class A Vehicles and Drivers.

Be it ordained by the city council of the City of New Bedford as follows:—

SECTION 1. Section 7 of Chapter 21 of the Code of the City of New Bedford shall henceforth be designated as Section 6, and Section 7a of said chapter shall henceforth be designated as Section 7.

SECTION 2. Section 6 of said Chapter 21 is hereby amended by striking out the same in its entirety and by inserting in place thereof the following:—

Section 6. Fee for vehicle license.

A fee of one dollar shall be paid to the city before the issuance of a public vehicle license of either class, and each Class B vehicle shall be provided with a license plate, which shall be affixed to the exterior of the vehicle and displayed thereon at all times when it is in operation under such license. Plates shall be numbered serially, the number issued to a licensee to be set forth in his license. The charge for each plate supplied shall be fifty cents.

SECTION 3. Section 7 of said Chapter 21 is hereby amended by striking out the same in its entirety and by inserting in place thereof the following:—

Section 7. Lettering of Class A Vehicles.

All automobiles licensed as Class A vehicles shall have painted on the rear in contrasting colors the word "TAXI" and the Class A license number issued by the city clerk. The foregoing shall be painted in two separate lines, the first line to contain the word "TAXI" in letters in plain Egyptian type not less than 4 inches, with a 1 inch stroke (and 2 inch space), and the second line to contain the abbreviations "LIC No.," side of which shall be printed the number previously mentioned, in plain Egyptian type, not less than 4 inches, with a 1 inch stroke (and 2 inch space).

A Class A licensee shall completely obliterate the foregoing lettering whenever he disposes of the licensed vehicle.

SECTION 4. Section 8 of said Chapter 21, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out in the 20th, the 21st and the 23d lines thereof the words "and plates," and by inserting in the 21st line thereof before the word "license" the word "the."

SECTION 5. Paragraph two of Section 16 of said Chapter 21, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out the last sentence thereof and by inserting in place thereof the following: "The fee for a taxi driver license shall be \$1.50, except that the owner of a Class A vehicle who is also the driver and operator of his own vehicle shall receive

a license to drive, if he be otherwise qualified, upon payment of a fee of fifty cents.

SECTION 6. Paragraph three of Section 16 of said Chapter 21, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out the whole of said paragraph and by inserting in place thereof the following:—

At the time of issuing the license, the city clerk shall deliver a metal badge. The badge shall be worn properly by the driver on the cap at all times when he is operating a licensed vehicle for the transportation of passengers for hire (except when engaged for funerals or weddings). The badge shall bear the words "New Bedford Taxi Driver" and badges shall be numbered serially. The number of the badge issued to a licensee shall be noted on the license. Said badge shall be kept in repair by the licensee and shall remain the property of the city of New Bedford, to be returned to the city clerk's office should the licensee have his license revoked or suspended, or should he cease to be employed as a taxi driver. A driver or operator renewing a license may retain a badge previously issued if it is displayed at the time of issuance of a new license. If a badge is lost, the licensee shall immediately report the fact to the city clerk who shall issue another badge to the licensee on payment of the charge of one dollar, and the new badge number and date of issue shall be noted on the license.

SECTION 7. Section 18 of said Chapter 21, as amended, is hereby further amended by inserting as the first paragraph thereof the following:—"Every taxi driver shall be neat, clean, suitably dressed, and shall wear an 8-point uniform cap with the taxi driver's badge issued by the city clerk attached to the front thereof."

SECTION 8. This ordinance shall take effect 30 days after its final passage by the City Council.

IN CITY COUNCIL, March 27, 1947

Passed to a second reading. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, April 10, 1947

Laid on the table. CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL, May 8, 1947

Taken from the table.

Amended by striking out in Section 3 in the 8th line thereof the words "and 2 inch space"; and by striking out in the 11th line thereof the figure "1" and inserting in place thereof the figure "3/4"; and by striking out in the same line the words "and 2 inch space."

As amended, passed to be ordained.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Presented to the Mayor for approval May 12, 1947.

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

Approved May 12, 1947

ARTHUR N. HARRIMAN, Mayor

A true copy, attest:

CHARLES W. DEASY, City Clerk

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